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TWO CHAMPIONS TO BE DECIDED TODAY

POLAR STAR AND WOODLAND STAG DUE FOR RETURN MATCH THIS AFTERNOON

SUBS CHAMPIONS VERY OPEN: WARRINGTON AND JINGLE SHOULD START FAVOURITES

(BY "MORNING DEW")

To-day racegoers will see the last of the Annual Race Meeting, and with eight races on the card there is promise of interesting things during the afternoon, particularly in the handicaps where big dividends are foreshadowed.

The main attraction of the afternoon is of course the subscription griffins champions. This race is likely to draw at least eight to ten starters and with honours evenly distributed in this class earlier in the meeting, it seems probable that the backing will be well sprinkled amongst the different candidates.

Polar Star and Woodland Stag are due for a return match this afternoon in the Australian Ponies Champions. Woodland Stag won the last time when these two met over a slightly shorter distance than will be run this afternoon, and it looks as though another sterling duel is ahead.

BURGOMASTER SHOULD WIN OPENING EVENT

The day's programme opens with The Nil Desperandum Stakes over a mile and it appears as though Burgomaster will have things very much his own way here. The pony has finished second on two occasions by very small margins and there does not appear to be anything among the entries to give him a serious challenge. Flying Boy will probably be Mr. Frost's mount here and in view of the good show he made the last time he was sent out over six furlongs, I fully expect him to run into a place. Hey Tor (Mr. T. L. Wong up) is likely to command a good following in view of his previous good performances, but does not appear to be a real danger to Burgomaster. Iron Grey, Jack O'Lantern and White Butterfly are good bets if the odds are long enough.

Flemington Plate.

There is no telling who may win this race for Australian ponies which have started and have not won as well as for ponies which have not won more than \$1,000 in 1932. The start will have much to do with the result here so if readers know of any ponies which will go well when the gate gets up, they should back it each way. Personally I think Ngtuk ought to do this distance admirably well as he is a terror over short distances. Ration is sure to command a big following and will be hard to beat if he gets away with the rest of them. Stickybeak too has a bit of pace and Tecumseh may upset calculations. Golden Dawn ran very well over the mile and a quarter on Wednesday but he does not appeal to me as a sprinter.

Happy Valley Handicap.

The "A" Class race over a mile and 171 yards does not seem to afford very much of a problem as King's Justice in spite of his 165 pounds, ought to win. If he is not started King's Bounty (at 155) can do the trick. With the exception of Don (152) there does not appear to be anything able to extend the Dynasty candidates here unless Gold Key proves much better than he was a few days ago.

Griffins Spring Handicap.

Two of the most disappointing griffins, Coo Coo Bay and Mayflower are in this race over a mile. The former carries 165 pounds and the latter 161. Between them there is Tenorio at 163 pounds, while Street Slinger is the only other entry allotted more than 160 pounds, being one pound over that mark. Coo Coo Bay ought to win here, though if Mayflower runs as he did when racing against Jack and again as he did in the Derby, then there should be a good race. Tenorio ought to get third. The top weights appears to be the best in this handicap.

Sub-Griffins Champions.

There should be some good racing seen here. The field will probably include King Salmon, The Goat, Black Rock, Warrington, Jingle, Golden Dragon and possibly Burgomaster.

Warrington and Jingle on their earlier performances should be able to hold down the opposition. The former ran a specially good race for the Sports Club Cup and if the race is a fast one his chances seem exceptionally good. King Salmon was

fancied at one time to win the Valleys. Had he been sound he would have been sent out and might have won. However, he has shown what a good little pony he is and if one were looking for a fairly long shot, King Salmon is not such a bad idea at all.

Black Rock ran poorly over the mile and a half and it does not appear as though he is a good enough match for Jingle and Warrington. However, it must be remembered that he was carrying a seven pounds penalty on that occasion. The Goat and Kliffat does not appear to be able to stand the distance, but Golden Dragon and Burgomaster, if sent out, are very good long shots.

Griffins Spring Handicap.

The "B" Class of this handicap is going to provide the biggest dividend of the meeting, I think. It is difficult to pick the winner. Wayward Stag appears to be a bit better than the rest, but the gentleman who hands out the lead has given him a generous helping and that might spoil his chances, the more so since the distance is over a mile which is a bit too long for Wayward Stag. Ask at 161 pounds might prove to be a good thing but it is difficult to make selections from the rest of them as they are all about as bad as they can be. Judging from the disappointing show some of the griffins in this handicap has made during the first four days' racing it would not be surprising to see some of them immediately relegated to the "D" Class for the extra meetings.

Woodland Stag's Task.

The Australian Ponies Champions this afternoon promises to provide one of the most interesting struggles seen on the course for a long time. Last year Polar Star won the race from Woodland Stag, but during the present meeting Woodland Stag had beaten Polar Star and it remains to be seen which of these two is really better. I am sure just as many supporters will be found for the one as for the other, but in view of the excellent performances put up by Polar Star during the second half of 1932, he seems on the whole to have a slightly better chance than Woodland Stag of winning this race.

The Star stable has Night Star to fall back upon. This pony won the Sydney Maidens and The Rooty Hill Derby and it would not be surprising if his connections decided to send him out in place of Polar Star in to-day's big race.

Another likely starter for this event seems to be City of Brisbane. The pony was second to Night Star on two occasions but on Wednesday he won very convincingly and ought to be able to put up a good show.

Happy Valley Spring Handicap

This is the last race of the day and once again, no doubt, the public will make Mon-Talisman the favourite. The pony has been given top weight by the handicapper and Halter Skelter is sent to him with six pounds less (159). Two ponies that are in at fairly low weights which might be worth an odd ticket are Powerful King and Snappy Eye. Alexandra Hall is in here too, but the pony might not do the distance.

THE SELECTIONS

- Race 1. Burgomaster.
Flying Boy.
Hey Tor.
- Race 2. Ration.
Ngtuk.
Golden Dawn.
- Race 3. King's Justice.
King's Bounty.
Don.
- Race 4. Mayflower.
Coo Coo Bay.
Tenorio.
- Race 5. Warrington.
Jingle.
King Salmon.
- Race 6. Wayward Stag.
Ask.
Per Se.
- Race 7. Polar Star.
Woodland Stag.
City of Brisbane.
- Race 8. Mon-Talisman.
Halter Skelter.
Snappy Eye.

JOCKEYS' RECORD

POSITION AFTER FOUR DAYS' RACING

The following table shows the successes scored by the various jockeys at the end of the first four days' racing—

	1st	2nd	3rd	Unp.
L. G. Frost	9	4	4	13
W. Hill	7	5	2	2
V. V. Needs	6	8	6	14
A. F. Clark	6	4	2	20
D. S. Li	6	2	5	17
A. J. P. Heard	6	0	5	10
T. L. Wong	5	7	3	21
G. U. da Roza	2	4	4	22
E. O. Butler	1	3	0	16
Ip Kai Ying	1	1	0	10
M. L. Soares	1	0	0	11
D. Black	1	0	0	12
S. N. Pan	0	1	5	15
Y. T. Fung	0	1	1	7
G. A. Harriman	0	1	1	9
J. Keswick	0	1	0	2
A. L. Caplan	0	1	0	11
W. H. Choy	0	0	1	0
G. W. Sewell	0	0	1	4
S. Y. Liang	0	0	1	9
J. E. Noronha	0	0	1	10

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(February 25).

(11 Moon 2nd Day).
Annual General Meeting of Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 1, Queen's Road Central, 11.30 a.m.

Chun Shing Typewriting Academy Prize-giving Function, Gloucester Restaurant Hall, 4 p.m.
Annual Ball by Bachelor Members of Craigcower Cricket Club.

Theatres.

King's: "Forgotten Commandments."
Queen's: "The Lodger."
Central: "The Most Dangerous Game."
Oriental: "Mother and Son."
World: "Flying High."
Majestic: "Old Dark House."
Star: "Men Like These."

Dances.

Tea Dances at King's Restaurant; Hong Kong Hotel; Gloucester Building; and Majestic Dancing Academy.
Dinner Dances at King's Restaurant; Peninsula; Hong Kong and Republic Bay Hotels; and Gloucester Building.

Sports.

Athletics:—Central British School (King's Park), 9 p.m.
Cricket:—First Division: Indian R.C. v. Army (L); University v. Hong Kong C.C. (L); Kowloon C.C. v. Craigcower (L); Second Division: Police v. Navy (L); Craigcower v. Kowloon C.C. (L); Civil Service v. University (L); Hong Kong C.C. v. R.A.F.C. (L); Indian R.C. v. R.A.F.C. (L).
Football:—First Division: Navy v. Chinese Club; St. Joseph's v. Lincoln's Club; Royal Artillery; Recreation v. Kowloon. Second Division: Tung Tsai v. Ewo South Wales Borderers v. Eastern; Lincoln's Club v. Navy; South China v. Club; St. Joseph's v. Royal Artillery; Kowloon v. Chinese Athletic. Third Division: St. Joseph's v. South China; Lincoln's v. University; Chinese Athletic v. R.A.F.; Recreation v. Talkoo.

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SHELL-MEX NEW HEAD OFFICE

OPENING BY PRESIDENT OF
BOARD OF TRADE

Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, last month opened London's newest and finest landmark, the new building of the Shell-Mex Company, in the Strand, which is on the site formerly occupied by the Hotel Cecil.

At the luncheon which followed, and over which Viscount Bearstead presided, Mr. Runciman spoke of the immense development of the oil industry, which, he said, had been furthered in this country by the amalgamation of the Shell-Mex and the British Petroleum companies. The result was that Shell-Mex with its other companies was now among the greatest commercial concerns in the world.

The increase in the number of motor-cars and motor vehicles on the street, was one indication of the development of the industry, he continued. This number was now estimated at 2,231,740, whereas in 1921 it was 846,088.

The initiative in such great advances had always been taken by the business men themselves for, said Mr. Runciman, "new developments in the commercial world cannot begin in Downing-street."

He had hoped that the heads of the oil industry would be able to help "embarrassed Ministers" to find some way out of the present difficulties of the coal trade.

The New Building.

Every Londoner must envy those who in future will have their offices in the magnificent building. There are 16 lifts to whisk them from floor to floor, at the rate of 500ft. a minute; the walls of the passages and halls are of polished Portland stone, which might be called a British substitute for marble; and the great oil-burning boilers in the basement will warm the house to the right temperature in any weather.

The clock, which has longer arms and a wider face than Big Ben, stands as a monument to modern architecture and design, as much as the rest of the building represents the achievements of modern engineering.

COAL SAVING IN SMALL BOILERS

TWO INTERESTING EXAM-
PLES FROM LONDON

A substantial saving is generally waiting to be effected in the small and medium sized boiler plant and without involving much alteration or capital outlay. This is illustrated by the recent experience of two laundries in London, with difficult steam conditions as regards fluctuations in the demand. One has a small "Economic" boiler, that is a cylindrical unit with small tubes at the top, somewhat resembling a marine boiler, and also a "Locomotive" boiler. Previously they had used 4 tons of smokeless Welsh coal (semi-anthracite) and 5 tons of foundry coke per week, costing £18, because of the strict black smoke regulations in London. The draught was also very bad, especially on the "Economic" boiler, so that the locomotive boiler was doing most of the work assisted by a wasteful steam jet in the chimney base, while full steam pressure could not be maintained. A hand fired "Turbine" forced draught steam jet furnace was then installed on the "Economic" boiler and coke breeze burnt, easily obtained locally at a cheap rate. Consequently the "Locomotive" boiler was also fitted with the forced draught furnace and coke breeze is now used almost entirely while the saving is £8 per week, that is 44 per cent. of the annual fuel bill. Also full steam pressure is kept up and the steam jet in the furnace eliminated while the only change necessary was to take out the ordinary type of firebar and replace them with the forced draught furnace.

Another Turbine Furnace Triumph.

The other laundry and one "Economic" boiler burning good quality washed bituminous coal with natural draught. Much trouble was experienced with smoke and the necessary steam output could not be obtained, as the laundry is continually growing in size. As a result "Turbine" furnaces were installed and eventually only coke breeze was burnt at a cost of 15/0 per ton, less than the bituminous coal, resulting in a substantial saving, while the steam pressure is now maintained at the full, even after the installation of extra washing machines. There are many other examples of a similar character in connection with small and medium sized boiler plants in Great Britain as well as in other areas, including the Far East. The standard hand fired forced draught steam jet "Turbine" furnaces, operating on many municipal and hotel plants also has a grate made up of large longitudinal hollow cast iron troughs, side by side, say five in number for a standard 3'0" wide grate in the case of a "Lancashire" or other cylindrical boiler, each with a steam nozzle. Also the surface of the grate is composed of a large number of small and short transverse interlocking slotted firebars or "elements" fixed across the top of the troughs.

Thus for a 5'6" by 3'0" grate, as commonly used for internally fired boilers, each trough has 45 small bars and 2,025 spaces. Further, these elements have below a sloping projecting portion like the blade of a turbine which dips into the blast current of air and steam in the troughs below, diverting the correct small volume of air corresponding to the particular aperture. Mechanical draught fan can also be used equally well in place of steam jets, which latter do not take more than 2-3 per cent. of the evaporation of the boiler, no more than mechanical draught. In addition the furnace can if necessary be supplied with sprinkler stoker gear for the mechanical feed of the coal and an interesting new accessory is an extension grate at the back for rapid cleaning out, which also allows the admission of a certain amount of secondary air to consume the smoke admitted under forced blast conditions from the trough firebars.

Hydraulic wheel drops for removing the driving wheels from under locomotives for the repair of axle-boxes or for wheel turning have been in operation at several depots of the London Midland and Scottish Railway for many years. The number has recently been increased by the installation of 15 of an improved type, which, besides being capable of handling driving wheels of various diameters, can also easily be adjusted to remove the bogie trucks of locomotives. These wheel drops were originally designed by the London and North Western Railway—Engineering.

JAPANESE DUMPED COAL

RUNNING SHANTUNG
COLLIERIES BANKRUPT

Practically all the Chinese-owned collieries in Shantung province are on the brink of bankruptcy as a result of the competition of the Japanese products which are being dumped into the peninsula province from the Fushun mines in Manchuria. Lack of proper transportation facilities, lack of capital, effects of the periodically labour strikes, floods in the shafts and other troubles have caused many native mines to close during the last year, according to reports.

It is stated that the annual output of the province totals some 1,000,000 tons. One half of this is shipped to Shanghai, the rest being disposed in Tsingtao and in the cities along the Kiaotsai railway. There is one Chinese company that ships 3,000 tons daily to Nanking, Shanghai and Hankow.

Following the Shanghai 'war' of last year, when many of the factories were closed or destroyed, the Shantung coal has found no market in that southern port.

The Fushun coal products are sold on the Shanghai market for \$10 per ton while the Shantung coal prices range around \$15 or \$18. It is stated that unless government aid is forthcoming the Shantung coal mines owned by Chinese interests will have to all close down.

WATERWORKS IN PEIPING FIRST SPECIAL AREA

\$400,000 TO BE RAISED

The Chinese authorities in Peiping have recently drawn up a series of regulations governing the issue of a loan of \$400,000 for the construction of a water works system in the First Special Area. The regulations have been submitted to the Ministry of Finance through the Peiping Political Council.

At present water in the Area is supplied by the B.M.C. waterworks. The contract for the supply expires at the end of the year. Arrangements have been completed for the extension of the supply until June 30, 1934, and in the meantime the Chinese authorities will consider the question of water supply in the area after that date.

The project under consideration of the Chinese authorities proposes the construction of artesian wells, capable of supplying 800,000 gallons of water a day. The cost of construction is estimated at between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

LARGEST INGOT EVER MADE

TRIUMPH OF SHEFFIELD ENGINEERING

The whole of the forged boiler drums for the six Stirling boilers to be installed in the new power station at Fulham will be manufactured by the English Steel Corporation, Limited, at their Vickers Works, Sheffield. The largest of these drums will be approximately 40ft. long by 5ft. 3in diameter outside, and the ingot required will weigh 175 tons, being the largest ever made.

The drums will be made in one piece, including the closed ends, which are formed from the tubular forgings by a process specially developed by the English Steel Corporation. The closed end type of boiler drum has been adopted by the designers of the new super-power stations as being that most suited to withstand the high pressure and temperature used. It is hoped that the increases in the number of power stations and the adoption of this type of drum will help to provide work for the heavy steel plants of Sheffield, of which they are in great need.

Work for Peace.

Each succeeding year has seen an increasing demand in new directions for hollow forged steel pressure vessels for high-pressure boilers, compressed air chambers, chemical works, oil cracking plant, &c., until their manufacture has become highly specialized. For over half a century Vickers, Armstrong, Whitworth, and Cammell Laird have been recognized as the greatest manufacturers of guns, which are essentially high-pressure vessels. The English Steel Corporation, in which the steel interests of these firms are incorporated, has added to this unique experience a close study of the manufacture of high-pressure vessels for many peaceful purposes, until at this date it is looked upon as the authority for this class of work.

Important work of this nature regularly passes through their works, ingots up to 170 tons weight as cast being used. The whole of the boiler drums for the Babcock and Wilcox boilers installed in the Queen of Bermuda were manufactured at the Vickers work. They were each made from a single piece of steel, including the closed ends, as were the high-pressure boiler drums for the 47,000-ton T.S.S. Conte di Savoia, built by Cantieri Riuniti dell'Adriatico.

The ingot shown is lifted from the mould by a 900-ton crane, sent for heat treatment on a bogie, and then lifted and charged into an annealing furnace, where it is treated and carefully cooled. Then it goes to a large paring machine, where the surplus material is taken off the top and bottom ends and a hole punched through the centre. The core is removed and the hole examined, and it is then ready for reheating, before being hollowed under a hydraulic press. The heat thrown off from such a huge mass of metal in the forging is terrific, and makes it most difficult to work and shape correctly.

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NEW WING OPENED

A great London building, first contemplated nearly 30 years ago, was declared complete last month. This unfinished building had long been familiar to Londoners. It is the County Hall, beside the river at the southern end of Westminster Bridge, on a site once the bed of the Thames.

In the presence of the Lord Mayor of London, the Archbishop of Canterbury, and a big gathering in the new domed conference hall, with its striking pillars of dull blue scagliola, the Chairman of the London County Council (Mr. Angus N. Scott) formally declared the new northern section open.

When the King opened the first three blocks of the building in 1922, he used the phrase: "An authority manly housed may be meanly esteemed." In its magnificent hall by the river—where long ago Roman galleys rowed over the site—the L.C.C. has a "house" worthy of the dignity and importance.

As far back as 1906 the Council obtained powers to acquire the

site at a cost of approximately £600,000. Six years later the King laid the foundation-stone of the new building, which Mr. Ralph Knott had designed, and in 1922 he opened the first three blocks.

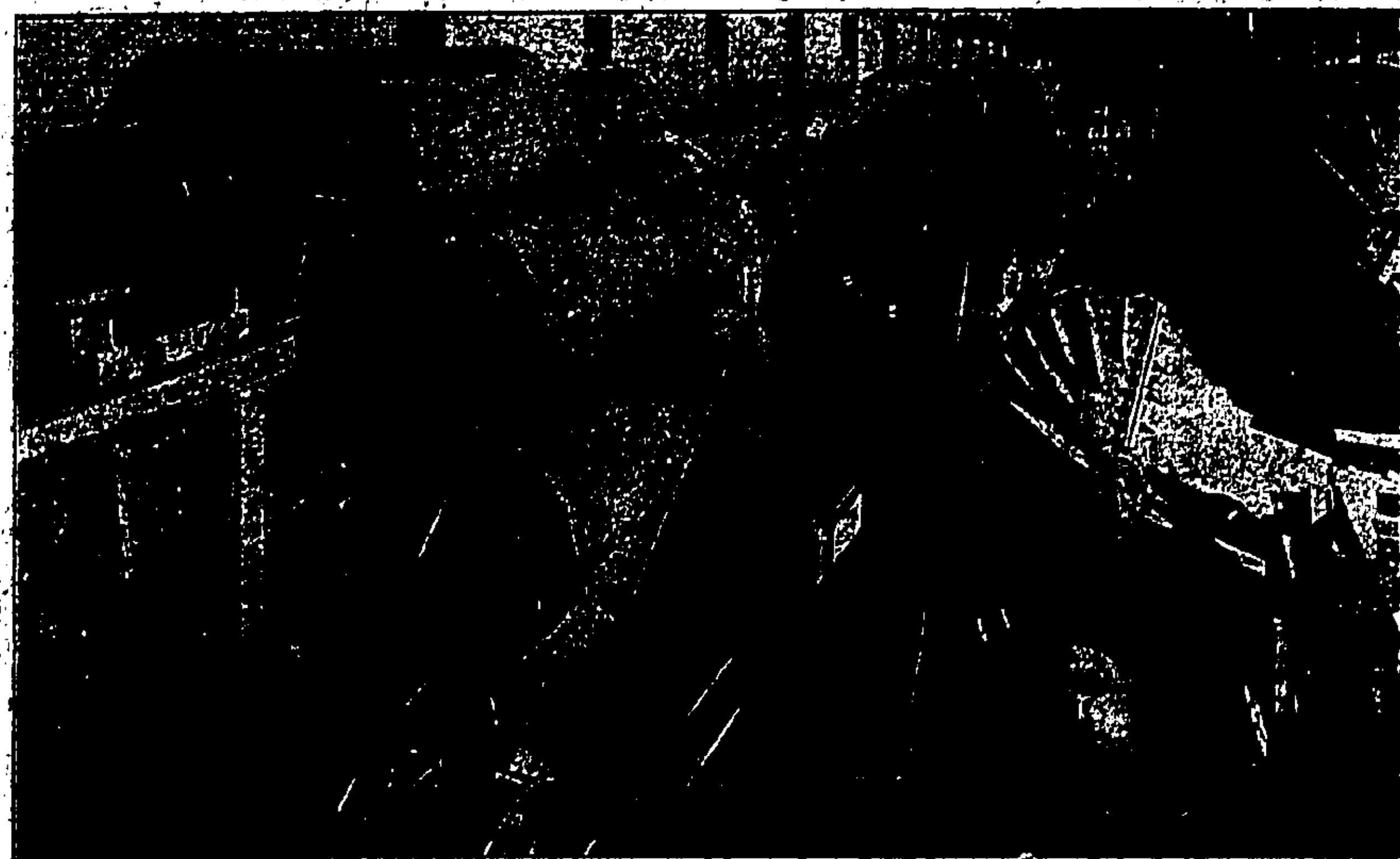
All-British.

The northern section remained a dream; it was not until 1928 that the L.C.C., spurred on by the large increase of its staff and the possibility of further increases, decided to complete the building. The late Mr. Knott's partner, Mr. E. Stone Collins, was appointed architect for the extension.

The new wing, "dignified and harmonious," as it was described, has worthily crowned the work. Quarries in Derbyshire, Cornwall, Yorkshire and Dorset, and forests in British Columbia, Burma and the Andaman Isles have contributed some of the all-British materials.

The entire Hall has cost £3,800,000; a sum, owing to the advance in prices, considerably above the pre-war estimate. The new northern section, which cost £267,000, includes a conference hall, new quarters for the Council's education library—with space for 100,000 books—and about 300 rooms.

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TENARYA GREAT RECORD
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South Australia has led in some of the most important reforms of the world. This was the first State in the Commonwealth to have elective Houses; manhood suffrage for one chamber; voting by ballot; payment of members; woman's suffrage; first also to adopt the plan of taxation of land values; to grant a municipal vote to women, and the first country to adopt the Torrens system of land registration.

Adelaide was the birthplace of municipal government, and led Australia in town-planning legislation.

The centenary of South Australia, which will be celebrated in 1936, will be full of history. South Australia was discovered by a Dutch navigator in 1627, the act founding the colony was passed in London in 1834 and the first settlers landed in July, 1836. The weather in July, which is about midwinter, would not be suitable for the centenary festivities which (Continued on next column.)

BRITISH ARMY'S
NEW WEAPONSRifle, Bayonet and
RevolverTRIALS WITH NEW
AUTOMATICS

The re-arming of the Cavalry and Infantry of the Regular Army, although not immediately contemplated, is a matter which is being pushed forward by the War Office through experiments in the field. In the spring of 1931 a rifle, bayonet, and revolver, each of new design, had been manufactured at the Government factory at Enfield. The primary interest attaching to the rifle is the aperture sight on the sliding bar foresight of a type which old marksmen will identify as coming from the old Martini-Henry rifle.

The aperture sight assists the scientifically accurate type of shooting by giving better target definition. A number of these newly-sighted rifles have been placed in the hands of infantry units for experimental purposes, and reports of the results are awaited.

The new .38 revolver shortly to replace the heavier Webley has been tested at the Small Arms School, Hythe, and has "passed out" with a satisfactory record.

Neither the new bayonet nor the new rifle will, for the present, form part of the equipment carried by the detachments at Aldershot, and Catterick when "trying out" the new dress.

A short thrusting weapon of cruciform type, the new bayonet is lighter than the sword blade now in use, and it reduces the reach of the bayonet fighter. This in some quarters, is held to place the man at a serious disadvantage in hand-to-hand fighting.

The Light Automatic.

The other arms carried by the infantry are the Vickers machine gun and the light automatic. Trials with new automatic rifles are taking place with a view to finding one which will effectively perform the work of the two machines now in use.

It is expected that the first of these new weapons to be issued to the Service will be the revolver.

Important alterations in the conditions governing matches in the programme of the Army Rifle Association were considered at the annual general meeting of the Association, held at the War Office recently, and Brigadier E. C. Gepp, who has succeeded Major-General R. J. Collins, as Chairman of the association, announced in connection with the issue of the new Army revolver, a contemplated change in the revolver programme.

have been fixed for September, the month of spring—days of mellow sunshine and blossom time. A large citizens' committee, representative of all sections, has been appointed by the Government to organize the centenary celebrations which will include a commemoration of the landing, a royal show, erection of centenary memorial, the production of a historical film, issue of medals and the publication of the history of South Australia.

"MRS. PANKHURST
OF AMERICA"

Mrs. Belmont Dead

HOW SHE STORMED THE
"FOUR HUNDRED"

Paris.—An American millionaire who gave up her leadership of the "Four Hundred," New York's exclusive social register, to devote herself to women's suffrage and philanthropy, has died at Paris.

She was Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, who by her first marriage was Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt and the mother of Consuelo, Duchess of Marlborough, now Mme. Jacques Balsan.

The body will be taken to New York for burial.

Mrs. Belmont was Alva Smith, the daughter of a cotton planter of Mobile, Alabama, and was born in 1853. When she married W. K. Vanderbilt, she took the fort of the "Four Hundred," with the exception of her leaders, the Astors. When emissaries were sent to find out why the Astors had been omitted from Mrs. Vanderbilt's entertainment list, Mrs. Vanderbilt said she could not invite persons who had never called.

The Astors thereupon called on the forceful young woman; belated invitations were hurriedly despatched, and the new leaders of society became hosts to the old.

Quarrel with a Bishop.

Divorced from Mr. Vanderbilt in 1885, Mrs. Vanderbilt married Oliver Belmont in the next year. As recently as 1923 Bishop Manning, Episcopal Prelate, asked her to resign, because of her divorce and remarriage, from the board of directors of a seaside home for children which she had given to the church. She withdrew, but soundly rated the Bishop.

Mrs. Belmont's enfranchisement campaign began with a plan to organize American women to "work on Congress." For six years there were agitation, imprisonments, and "hecklings," which finally had much to do with the President relenting. In 1919 the Suffrage Amendment to Constitution was enacted.

Apart from her active leadership, Mrs. Belmont put her hand deep into her pocket for the expenses of the "cause." She gave to the Woman's Party, "Alva Belmont House," grand grounds at Washington, valued at \$200,000; and \$20,000 to the Nassau Hospital at Minneola. She spent some time in England and was a close friend of the Pankhursts.

PROUDEST PARIS
POLICEMANDECORATED WHILE ON
POINT DUTY.

Paris.—Agent Leclerc is the proudest and happiest man in the Paris police force.

Everybody knows P.C. Leclerc, for his name has spread far and wide beyond Paris and the provinces—even to foreign climes. He is the Parisian policeman with the long flowing beard stationed at the Port St. Denis, who controls the traffic with a majestic flourish of his white baton.

Recently a marvellous adventure befell him. While controlling the traffic near the monument raised to the Roi-Soleil a sumptuous motor-car halted and held up the traffic.

"Move along," ordered Leclerc sternly, his sense of duty uppermost.

"No, M. l'Agent, not before I have spoken to you."

"Move along," again came the stern reply.

"Listen to me, M. Leclerc."

When his name was spoken the policeman was all ears.

"In the name of His Majesty the Bey of Tunis and of the Resident-General of Tunisia," said the motorist, "I hereby make you a Chevalier of the Nicham Iftikar."

This time, rising in his car, the emissary of the Bey embraced the policeman on both bearded cheeks.

"To what do I owe the honour of such a dignity," asked the brave policeman.

"Your fame has spread to Tunis, which would like to have you in its police force," was the reply. A medal dangling from a red and green ribbon was then pinned to the astonished policeman's breast.

The chauffeurs of the taxis nearby, witnessing the scene, were so overcome with emotion that it was with some difficulty a traffic jam was prevented.

And so the police division of the 10th arrondissement is now honoured to an extent hitherto unknown.

Hankow, Feb. 12.—That Wu-shang became the seat of all military and civil organs and Hankow a purely commercial centre, is the plan of the Commander-in-Chief's Headquarters of the Bandits-suppression forces. All military organs at Hankow are to be gradually transferred to Wuchang.—Kuo Min.

6,000 CLUBS' PLAN
FOR REFORMDrink Hours Not To Be
RestrictedREGISTRATION MADE MORE
STRINGENT

London.—Representatives of more than 6,000 clubs throughout the country have drafted proposals for new legislation to regulate clubs in which alcoholic drinks are sold.

The proposals are embodied in a Parliamentary Bill which would provide for:

1—Removal of all restriction on the hours in which alcohol may be sold; and,

2—More stringent requirements for the registration of clubs.

The organisations responsible for drafting the bill are the Working Men's Club and Institute Union, the Association of Conservative Clubs, the National Federation of Liberal Clubs and the Golf Clubs Association.

It is believed that the Bill will also have the support of some 90 clubs in the West End of London.

The Bill would take the law affecting clubs out of the scope of the Licensing Acts and would restore the freedom enjoyed in the sale of alcohol before the introduction of the D.O.R.A. restrictions.

Registration Duties.

The duties of registration would be transferred from the Petty Sessions courts to local authorities. Exhaustive details of the management and objects of a club would be required before registration, and opportunity would be given for objections to be raised. There would be a right of appeal against decisions of local authorities to Quarter Sessions.

One of the conditions of registration would be that no profit should accrue from the sale of alcohol except to the general body of members. Furthermore, it would be a sufficient ground of refusal or annulment of registration that anyone connected with the management of a club was a "person of evil repute."

Another provision of the Bill, designed to prevent evasion, is that an interval of at least seven days should replace the interval of 48 hours at present required to elapse between nomination and admission of a member to a club.

Efforts are being made to have the Bill introduced into Parliament with support of members of all parties in the near future.

HOW TO DESTROY
MOTHSRAVAGES THAT COST
£1,000,000 A YEAR

Under the auspices of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, the British Wool Industries Research Association (Headquarters, Leeds) has been carrying out experiments on the protection of woollen clothing against clothes moths. The ravages of these insects are estimated to involve an average annual loss of £1,000,000.

Commenting on the investigations, Dr. S. G. Barker, director of the association, says: "It has been estimated by a reliable authority that under favourable conditions the progeny of one female clothes moth can consume 92 lb. of wool fibre in the course of a year. The total quantity of wool rendered useless by moth grub activity is, of course, much in excess of the actual quantity eaten, and an average loss per annum of £1,000,000 in this country is not an unreasonable estimate."

"No protection whatever," Dr. Barker declares, "is obtained by merely dusting with pepper, eucalyptus leaves, quassia chips, and many other substances."

Naphthalene Strength.

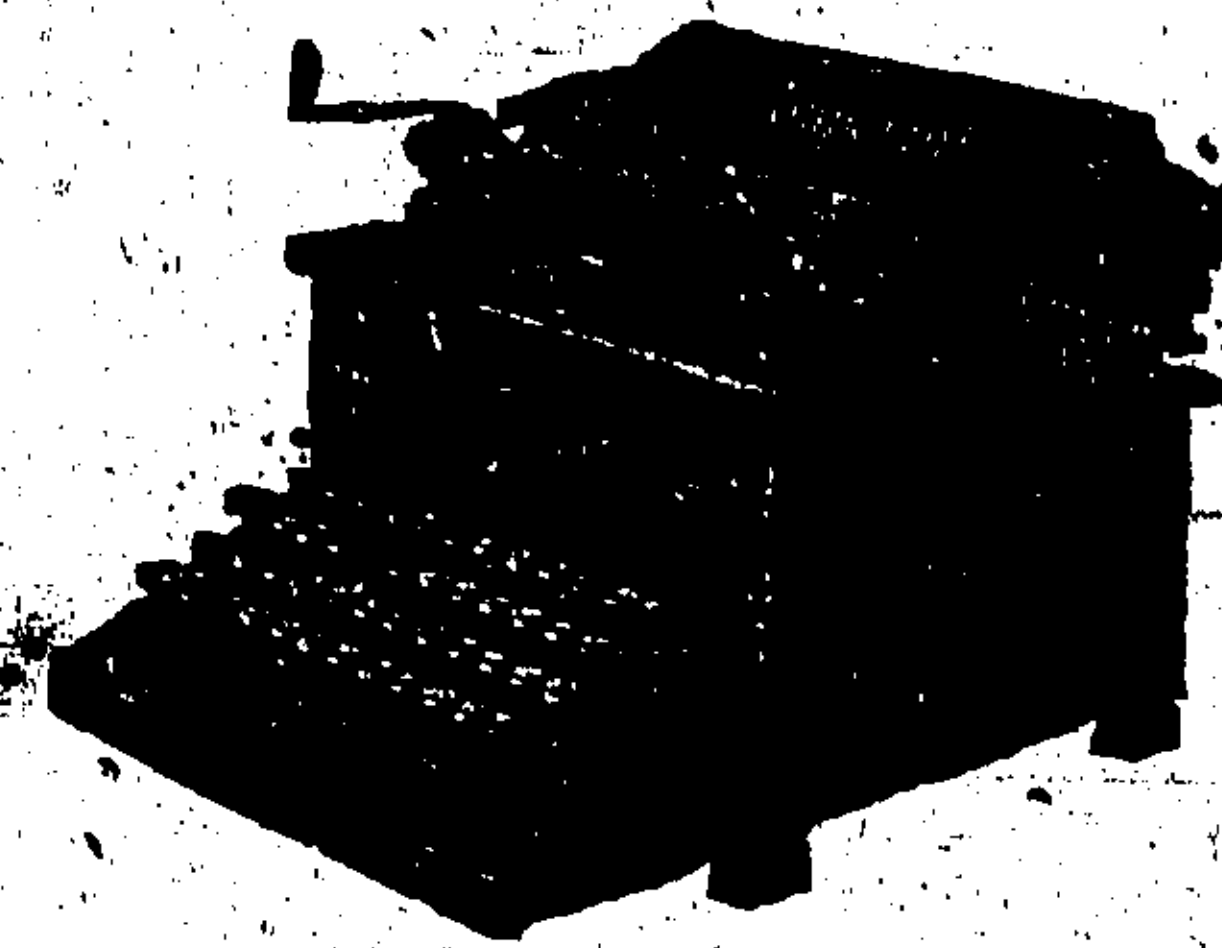
Regarding naphthalene, the strength recommended for use was 1 lb of good naphthalene flakes for six to ten cubic feet of space. Quite a small cupboard would, therefore, require over 1 lb.

"Another and much more potent substance," is paradichlorobenzene," Dr. Barker says, "a crystalline substance which gives off a relatively heavy vapour, impervious to man."

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Dr. Barker states that since the fumigants kill the adult moths and grubs, but do not destroy the eggs, such treatment must be repeated. His conclusion is that the only effective method for prevention of the ravages by moths is to wrap up the garment completely in paper with sealed ends. A variety of such bags, he states, have been designed, utilising not only paper, but cellulose film materials. These have also been rendered non inflammable.

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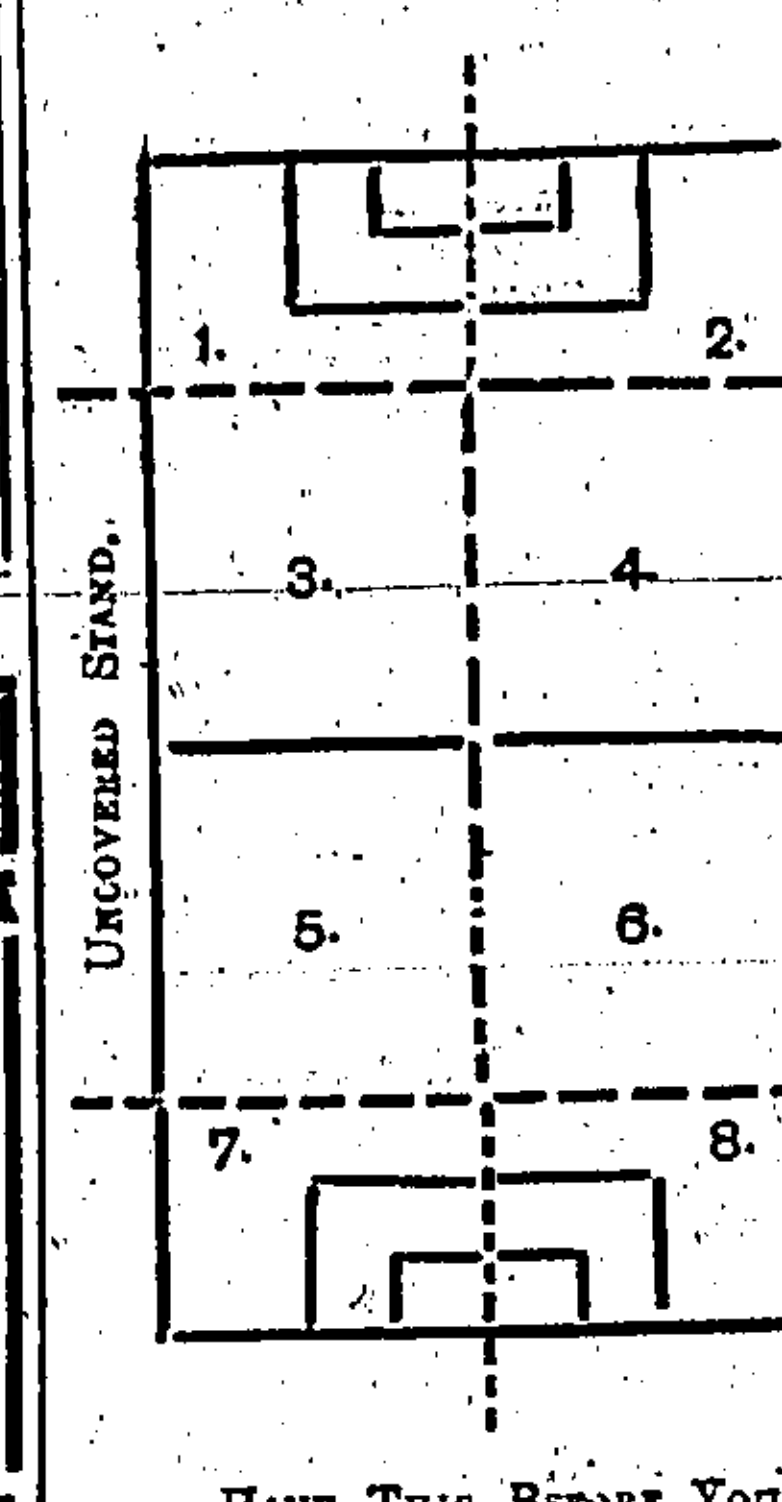
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Piano Solo—"Helen"—Selec-
tion.—Billy Mayori.—DB777.
Song—"Rollin' Down the River."
Song—"In Great-Grandma's
Days."—Florence Oldham
(Comedienne).—DB410.

Pop Trio—"The Baked Potato
Man."
Pop Trio—"A Bed This Side."
Pop Trio—"The Mashed Potato
Man."
Song—"Dorothy's Little Sister."
—Binnie Hale (Comedienne).

Vocal Duet—"Bells Bells—Mona
Lisa."—Binnie Hale and Andre
Rendall.—DB743.
8.40 to 9 p.m.—Wembley Military
Tattoo.—The Band of H.M.
Grenadier Guards, conducted by
Captain George Miller.—5073
5074.

9 to 9.30 p.m.—

Scottish Selections.

Song—"Callin' Herrie." (Mairi
and Gert).—Muriel Brunsell

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(Contract).—917R.
Band—"The Thistle" (Myddle-
ton, arr. Winterbottom).—Reg.
Band of H.M. Grenadier
Guards.—910Z.

Song—"The Bonnie Wells o'
Weiries" (MacLagan-Grieve).
Song—"My Nannie's Away"—
Sandy MacFarlane (Comedian).
—DB722.

Octette—"Scottish Fantasia"
(Mulder).
Octette—"Praeludium" (Jarme-
felt).—The J. H. Squire Celeste
Octette.—909B.

Song—"Is Yer Mammie Always
With Ye?"—Kit Keen and Male
Quartet.—DB418.

9.30 to 11.30 p.m.—A relay of the
Hong Kong Hotel Dance Or-
chestra from the Hong Kong
Hotel Roof Garden by courtesy
of the Management. (During
the intervals recorded music
will be broadcast from the
Studio).

10.30 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press
news.
11.30 p.m.—Close down.
All records in the above Euro-
pean programmes are supplied by
Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

The studio programme between
8.30 and 7.15 p.m. may, on any
day, be replaced by a relay from Eng-
land, if reception of the latter hap-
pens to be good.

SUNDAY

10 to 11 a.m.—A relay of St.
Joseph's Church Service.
Kyrie by Scarsella.
Offertory by Cypocci.
Sanctus by L. Perosi.
Agnus Dei by Vittadini.
O Salutaris by Antonelli.
Tantum Ergo by E. Gualdi.
Laudate Dominum by Pozzoli.
Sermon: "Obligation: Respon-
sibility" by Rev. G. Byrne,
S.J.

11 a.m. to 12.15 p.m.—A relay of
St. Paul's Church Service (Chi-
nese).
12.15 to 2.30 p.m.—European pro-
gramme of recorded music.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather
report.

2.30 p.m.—Close down.
4.30 to 7 p.m.—Chinese recorded
programme.
7.10 p.m.—European programme.
7 to 8 p.m.—

Orchestral—"Orpheus in the
Underworld" (Offenbach).—
State Opera Orchestra, Berlin.
—Vic. D1293.

Song—"The Rhinegold—Yield It
Wotan" (Wagner).—Ernestine
Schumann-Heink. (Contralto).—
Vic. 7107.

Piano Solo—"Moonlight Sonata"
(Beethoven).—Evelyn Howard-
Jones.—Col. 19084/5.

Song—"Götterdämmerung—Hear-
ken With Heed to What I Tell
Thee" (Wagner).—Ernestine
Schumann-Heink (Cont.).—Vic.
7107.

Suite from the Music to "Le Bur-
geois Gentilhomme" (Richard
Strauss).—Vienna Philharmonic
Orchestra, conducted by Clemens
Kraus.—Vic. M101.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather
report.
8.03 to 9 p.m.—

From the Studio.

Selections by the Melodians Trio
by courtesy of Lane Crawford's
Restaurant.

9 to 10 p.m.—Dance selections of
Victor recordings.
10 p.m.—Rugby Press news.
10.05 p.m.—Close down.

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PICTURE

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG
King's: "Forgotten Commandments."
Queen's: "The Lodger."
Central: "The Most Dangerous Game."
Oriental: "Mother and Son."
World: "Flying High."

KOWLOON
Star: "Man Like These."
Majestic: "Old Dark House."

COMING
King's: "He Learned About Women."
Queen's: "Sherlock Holmes."
Central: "The Washington Masquerade."
Oriental: "Blue Danube."
World: "Once in a Lifetime."

CANTON CINEMAS
Wing Hon: "Movie Crazy."
Chung Wah: "Hut Cheek Girl."
Sun Wah Theatre: "Thirteen Women."
Sun Kwok Man Theatre: "The Big Gamble."

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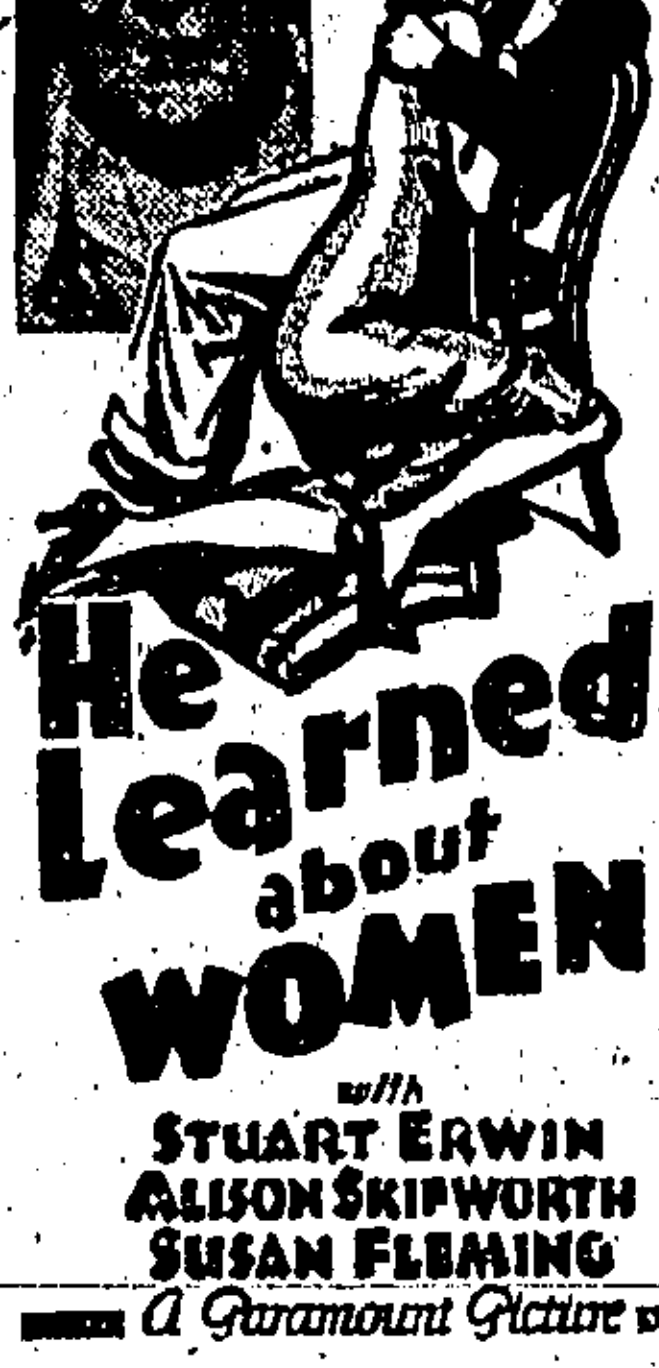
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GENE RAYMOND
MARGUERITE CHURCHILL
IRVING PICHEL

(A Paramount Picture)

TO-MORROW

Fifty Million Rich
and Never Kissed!

...But She
Soon Fixed
That!



He Learned
about
WOMEN

STUART ERWIN
ALISON SKIPWORTH
SUSAN FLEMING

(A Paramount Picture)

MOVIE NEWS

Pictures In Hong Kong.

"THE WASHINGTON
MASQUERADE"

"INSIDE" ACTIVITIES OF
POLITICIANS

Simple articles sometimes have
far from a simple effect in the
making of movies.
For instance, when Karen Morley
played a scene combing her hair
in "The Washington Masquerade,"
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's drama of
political life, showing from to-
morrow at the Queen's Theatre, the
sound expert halted the rehearsal
until a celluloid comb was substituted
for the hard rubber one she
was using.
Hard rubber, it seems, gives off
electricity when it is rubbed. The
miniature "crackles," literally
microscopic thunder, picked up in
the delicate microphone. An amber
pipe stem has the same trick. Silk
also does it.

The new picture is a vivid drama
of the "inside" of lobbyist activities
at the national capital, with
Lionel Barrymore heading the cast
as a senator and political power
who falls victim to the wiles of a
woman lobbyist. A notable cast
appears including, Diane Sinclair,
Nils Asther, Reginald Barlow, Wil-
liam Collier, Sr., William Morris,
Rafaela Ottiano, C. Henry Gordon,
Burton Churchill and Henry Kol-
ker.

NINE TILL SIX

ALL A.D.C.'S FEMALE PLAY

Local playgoers have always been
unanimous in their praise of the
enterprise shown by the Hong Kong
Amateur Dramatic Club in the
selection of plays, but when it was
announced that the cast of the next
production would be "all-female,"
and to the number of sixteen at
that, it was felt in some quarters
that the Committee was rather over-
stepping the mark of discernment
and that the theatre-going public
would, as a whole, be somewhat un-
responsive.

From what we can gather how-
ever, it is already apparent that
no A.D.C. announcement, in recent
years, has created the amount of
interest, already being evinced in
the forthcoming production of
Aimee and Philip Sturges' play
"Nine Till Six," which is to be
presented at the Kings Theatre on
the nights of March 14th, 16th and
18th at 9.20 p.m. Contrary to some
expectations, the novelty of the
production, the novelty of the
(Continued on next column)

"HE LEARNED
ABOUT WOMEN"

TO-MORROW'S ATTRAC-
TION AT KING'S

Alison Skipworth, noted charac-
ter actress who as a popular figure
on the Broadway stage for several
decades, and then, in "Madame
Racketeer" and other films, won
herself screen laurels, too, is featur-
ed with Stuart Erwin in "He
Learned About Women," comedy
which comes to the King's Theatre
Sunday next, Susan Fleming,
Grant Mitchell and Gordon have
other important roles.
The story concerns the adventures
of a young fellow who has
\$50,000,000 and a lot of books, but
no knowledge whatever of the
world, who suddenly decides it's
time he learned the facts of life.
The role is played by Erwin.

Out in public for the first time,
he stumbles into an auction, where
the services of the unemployed are
being offered to the highest bidder.
Intrigued by Miss Fleming, who
steps onto the block to offer her
services as a stenographer, he hires
her. Then, at her request he hires
Miss Skipworth, an old actress who
has seen better days.

When the two women discover the
identity of their employer, they
decide to do something about it.
Miss Skipworth craftily plays plans
for marrying the girl to the be-
wildered heir. But a number of
complications, amusing but drama-
tic, ensue when her own ex-husband
and an unscrupulous companion
appear and demand that they be
cut in for a share of the profits.

project alone, is making a decided
and wide-spread appeal.
A great deal of new talent will
be engaged in the lighter parts;
the more responsible characters be-
ing filled by such experienced ac-
tresses as Helen Prior, Veronica
Butterfield, Margaret Bunje, Hilda
Arnold etc.

Of more than usual interest comes
the welcome news that, after an
absence of two years, Fay Gross-
man returns to the footlights on
this occasion; and it augurs well
for success that this talented lady
is to appear in the leading role.

"FORGOTTEN COM-
MANDMENTS"

"RUSSIA TO-DAY" AT
KING'S THEATRE

According to Hollywood, Russia
to-day is a naughty old place,
where many people have forgotten
the fundamentals of life, such as
religion and faith. That, is the
theme song of "Forgotten Com-
mandments," (King's Theatre)
which, surprisingly enough finds the
city of movies throwing some hefty
brickbats at certain aspects of life
in Russia.

These brickbats are powerfully
underlined by some of the greatest
sequences from the old silent film,
"The Ten Commandments," such as
the parting of the Red Sea, the
extermination of the Egyptians,
and God's message to Moses and
the subsequent, smashing of the
tablets bearing the Commandments.
They are the strongest points in
this tale of Red Russia, which is
also notable for the first appear-
ance in a Hollywood picture of
petite Sari Maritza, who looks
charming and just like a picture
book Russian charmer. Irving
Pichel, Gene Raymond, and Mar-
guerite Churchill complete the cast.

dan, a London girl.
T'ink She Go 'Ome.
Babe Daniels and Barbara
Stanwyck, the favourites of the
Warner studios, never have to buy
flowers for their dressing-rooms.
Each morning they are supplied
with nosegays from electricians,
painters, and carpenters.
Janet Gaynor, has gone Garbo.
She refuses to work overtime, and
at 8 p.m. promptly she t'ink she
go 'ome and walks off the set.

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2.30-5.15
7.15-9.30

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GAMBLERS ALL! SEE
MOTHER
AND SON



Hollywood Is Telling
You!

Garbo's Next.

Greta Garbo still refuses to give
the studios any assurance that she
will return this year. Meanwhile,
the optimists are preparing the
scenario for her next picture.

Sari Maritza, the English girl,
has been nominated by Paramount
as their Wampas Baby Star for
1933.

Elissa Landi gave the gayest din-
ner party of the month to celebrate
the arrival here of her barrister-
husband, John Lawrence.

Whereas in the old days Holly-
wood stars hid the fact that they
had children because it was deemed
bad publicity, the nursery now
comes before the parents.

There is such an epidemic of pre-
Christmas parties that stars are
having to work while babies take
possession of the family limousines.

On Her Toes!

The ultra-refined Constance Ben-
nett is learning to tap dance!
Hollywood's latest romance: The
lovely Billie Dove and young Phi-
lips Holmes.

Polly Moran has decided to hand
the pay envelope over to her moth-
er every week. She says, "She
can't be bothered spending so much
money."

Hollywood latest picture team is
Warner Baxter and Mirlam Jor-
(Continued on Previous Column.)

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Hockey:—Coer Clark Cup: Cen-
tral British Association v. St. An-
drew's Club; Club de Recreio v.
Y.M.C.A. Mamak Tournament:
Police v. Radio Sports Club
(U.S.R.C.), 4.15 p.m.
Racing:—Annual Race Meeting
(Happy Valley), 2.30 p.m.
Rugby:—Army v. Volunteers
(Sookunpo).
Yachting:—Royal Hong Kong
Yacht Club's First Corinthian Race
for racing yachts.

Principal Mails.
Outward for Europe via Suez by
Rajputana, 10.30 a.m.
Sunrise: 6.45 a.m.; Sunset: 6.25
p.m.
Tides:—High at 10.50 and 22.05;
Low at 4.14 and 16.26.

SUNDAY
(February 26)
(11 Moon 3rd Day).
Anniversaries and Holidays:—
Quinquagesima: Sunday; Shrove
Sunday.

Theatres.
King's: "He Learned About
Women."
Queen's: "Washington Masque-
rade."
Star: "Flying High."
Oriental: "Just Imagine."
World: "Dawn" (Chinese film).
Central: "The Most Dangerous
Game."
Majestic: "Phantom President."
Ten Dances at Repulse Bay and
Hong Kong Hotels; Gloucester
Building; King's Restaurant; and
Majestic Dancing Academy.

Sports.
Golf:—Completion of fifth round
of Royal Hong Kong Golf Club's
Admiral's Cup Competition and
final of Junior Championship; Kow-
loon Golf Club "Fear" Cup Com-
petition.

Hunting:—Fanling Hunt Hounds
Meet (17, Pine Tree Hill), 3.15 p.m.
Westling:—Tiger Daula v. Joe
Cross (Kowloon Football Club
ground), 3.30 p.m.

EMIL JANNINGS IN ENGLISH
TALK FILM

Emil Jannings will shortly be
speaking entirely in English for the
first time in a talk-film. It is called
"The Merry Monarch," and
has been made in the South of
France and in Paris, with Miss
Sidney Fox in the chief feminine
part.

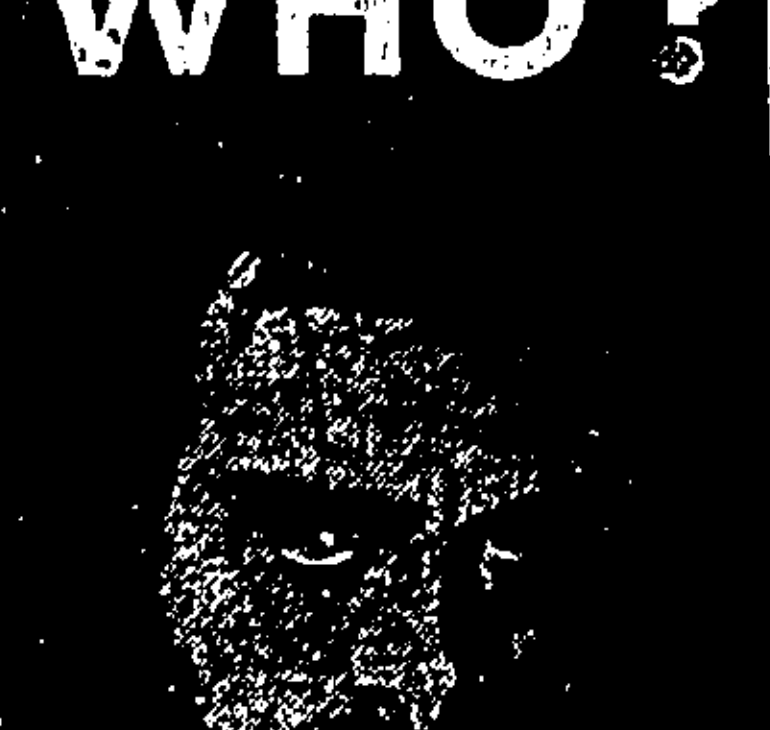
The story is based on "Le Roi
Pausole," by Pierre Lons. Jan-
nings will play a Ruritanian
monarch who has a different wife
for every day in the year. The
film has been directed by Alexis
Granowskis and will be distributed
over here by the United Artists
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with KARLOFF, MELVYN
DOUGLAS, Charles Laughton
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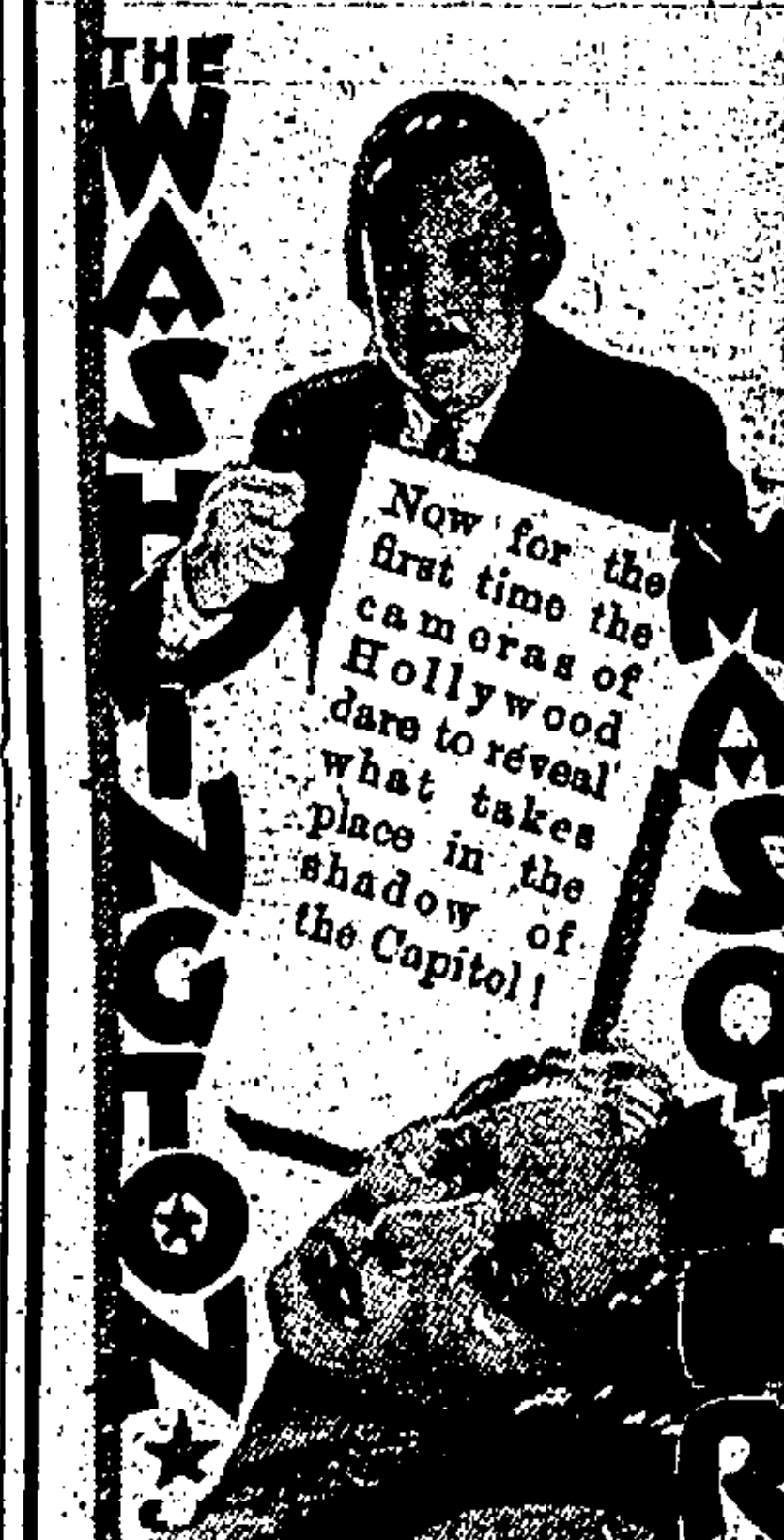


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tional character's rise
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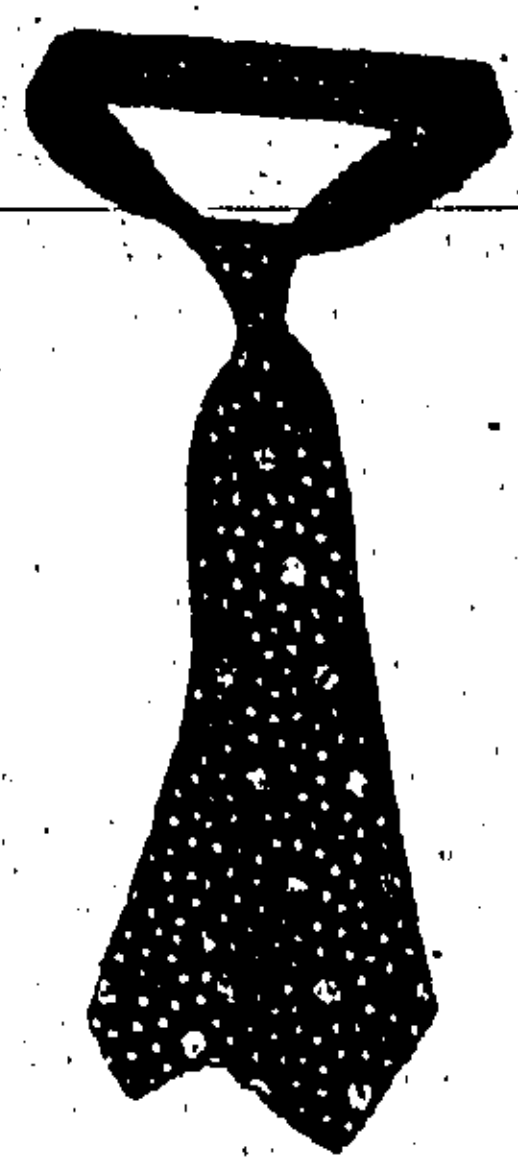
"Flying High"

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From February 25, to March 8 1933.

HIGH WATER. LOW WATER.

Days of Week.	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height ft.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height ft.
Sat.	25	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
		10 50	6 8	04 14	0 6
		22 05	7 4	15 26	2 5
Sun	26	11 15	5 1	07 40	1 0
		22 44	8 9	16 08	2 3
Mon.	27	11 40	5 2	05 06	1 4
		23 19	8 2	18 54	2 1
Tues	28	12 5	5 3	03 29	1 5
		23 54	5 5	17 32	2 5
Wed.	1	12 30	5 4	08 47	2 1
		19 30	5 4	18 28	2 3
Thur.	2	0 34	4 7	08 00	2 2
		12 50	5 4	19 31	2 5
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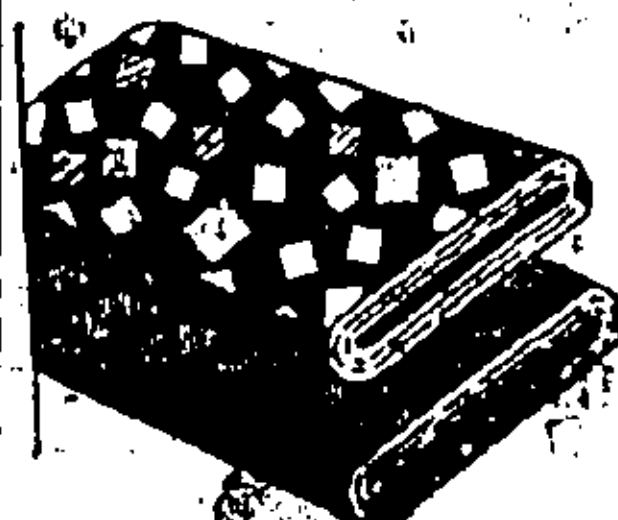


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CHAIRMAN'S REFERENCE TO SHORTAGE OF GODOWNS

"It is with much pleasure that your Directors are able to place before you a state of accounts which show not only a very substantial increase in the net profit resulting from the Company's operations during the past year, but also a marked improvement in the general position of the Company," said Mr. C. A. da Rosa, the Chairman, at the annual general meeting of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., which was held at Exchange Building yesterday.

Mr. Rosa also referred to the new motor transport service, and said that the sum outstanding on loans had been reduced during the year by \$132,000.

THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Gentlemen, It is with much pleasure that your Directors are able to place before you a Statement of Accounts which show not only a very substantial increase in the Net Profit resulting from the Company's operations during the past year, but also a marked improvement in the general position of the Company as revealed by the Balance Sheet before you.

The profit earned, namely \$903,845.32 some 120 per cent better than that recorded for the previous year, and the increase is mainly attributable to a greater volume of cargo received for storage with improved clearances.

Godown Space Taxed.

For several months last year, our regular Godown space was so severely taxed by the demand for space, that it became necessary to acquire considerable additional accommodation on a temporary basis. This was done, and we have since been able to release the Godowns so acquired, with the exception of one building, which we still retain and which is fully occupied.

The severe competition with which we have had to contend, was undoubtedly occasioned by the desire of the many private owners of Godowns to obtain some additional revenue to meet the cost of maintaining their buildings.

As intimated by me at our last Meeting, the Private Bonded Godowns in Hong Kong were discontinued at the end of June last, and the contents of the majority were transferred into our General Bonded Warehouses at West Point.

Arrangements made with storers have, we believe, proved satisfactory to them—and the change over has occasioned a minimum of inconvenience to those concerned.

The Balance Sheet.

Turning to the Balance Sheet, Gentlemen, you will note that our liabilities remain practically unchanged—there being but a small adjustment in General Reserve Account.

This represents transfers to and from the Specific Reserves previously created to meet Loan deficits, the items appearing now on the Debit side of that account being the amount required to equalise the balance due to the Company on two Loan accounts, after the relative securities had been disposed of.

The addition to our Assets, under the heading of "Property" represents the amount paid on account of a new Godown which we have found it necessary to construct on vacant land at Kennedy Town, for the storage of special cargo.

This Godown has since been completed, and is already in profitable occupation.

A New Line.

Towards the end of the year under review, your Directors decided to embark upon a new line of business, which has, of recent years, become more closely allied with our principal trade as Godown operators; and you will no doubt have seen ample evidence of this departure on the streets of Hong Kong, in the form of Motor Trucks bearing this Company's name. The selection of chassis of British manufacture will, it is hoped, earn your approval.

Your Board was influenced in its decision by the constant needs of the Company itself in connection with its Shipping Department, and also by the lack of a properly organized, fully secured and efficient maintained public Motor Transport Service for the conveyance of goods in this Colony.

As this Service commenced operations so late in the year, it is too soon to analyse the results recorded to date, except to state that the demand and the financial results have come up to expectations.

The sum outstanding on Loans has been reduced by the important sum of \$132,000 during the year, while new business has been successfully negotiated against security of goods stored with the Company. A small amount of \$10,000.00 was remaining so employed at the close of the year.

Sundry Debtors account at \$116,933.33 is rather higher than usual this year, owing to the considerably greater volume of business transacted—but collections since the date of the accounts have reduced this figure to approximately \$34,000.00 which is lower than usual.

The Cash position, since further increased, is satisfactory, and is adequate to meet the Dividend requirements which I shall shortly propose to you.

Prospects.

As regards the prospects for the current year, it is unfortunate that world conditions in general, and the state of affairs in the Far East in particular, make any forecast as to local imports of staple products dangerous.

It is safe to say, however, that our Godowns continue to enjoy the support of a very large number of merchants, and that we confidently anticipate receiving our share of any cargoes which may offer.

I now beg to propose that the Report and Accounts for the year ended December 31, 1932, as presented to you, be adopted; that a Dividend of \$0.24 per share in respect of the Fully Paid-up shares, and of \$0.12 per share in respect of the Partly Paid shares absorbing \$178,873.40 be paid out of the Profits of the Company.

I also propose that the balance of \$125,108.38 be carried forward to 1933 account.

If a shareholder will be good enough to second these proposals, I shall be pleased to answer, to the best of my ability, any questions having reference to the Report and Accounts, which you may wish to ask.

The Chairman then proposed the adoption of the report and state-ment of accounts, and on the seconding of Mr. F. L. Silva, it was passed unanimously.

Other Business.

On the proposal of Mr. A. H. Carroll and seconded by Mr. T. M. Mitchell, Sir Robert Ho Tung and Mr. Li Tse Fong were re-elected directors.

Messrs. Linstead and Davis and Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming were re-elected auditors on the motion of Mr. H. J. Figueroa and Mr. A. H. Carroll.

Those present at the meeting were Mr. C. A. da Rosa (Chairman), Sir Robert Ho Tung, Hon. Mr. C. P. Braga, Messrs. A. L. Alves, T. B. Wilson, S. M. Churn, P. M. Hodgson, N. V. A. Croucher and Li Tse Fong (Directors); D. L. King (secretary), F. L. Silva, A. H. Carroll, T. M. Mitchell, H. J. Figueroa, M. White and J. Tam Hung (shareholders).

THE OCTOBER CLUB AT OXFORD

PROCTORS AND EXCLUSION OF TOWNSPEOPLE.

Oxford. — The October Club, which was formed some time ago by Oxford undergraduates for the study of Communism, has received an intimation from the proctors that they are considering the advisability of limiting membership of the club to members of the University.

Last term the club was the scene of several raids by hostile undergraduates, and on one occasion the proceedings were interrupted by a fight.

As a result, special precautions have been taken this term to keep out intruders.

An official of the club states today that the proctors took the view that while townspeople were probably the best behaved section of the audience, or indeed of any Oxford audience, their presence at the October Club might tend to give rise to disturbances, and possibly had done so in the past.

For this reason the authorities were considering the advisability of barring their attendance. The club, of course, would be allowed to invite outside speakers to address the members.

GENERAL ARAKI SPEAKS OUT

The Army In High Spirits

DEFIANCE TO THE LEAGUE

Tokyo.—General Araki, Minister for War, in a Press interview, declares there can be no question of accepting the League recommendations such as are reported; and that the only course open to Japan is to withdraw from the League of Nations. The reported draft recommendations, the Minister says, deny the independence of Manchukuo, denounce Japan's military action as exceeding the limits of legitimate self-defence, and demand the withdrawal of the Japanese troops into the South Manchuria Railway zone. In short, they are a virtual reproduction of the Lytton Report. How in the world can Japan meekly accept such recommendations?

Acceptance would mean Japan's cancellation of her recognition of Manchukuo and her abandonment of Manchuria. The nation would never allow the Government to do anything of the sort. If the draft recommendations are really as reported, the only course open to Japan is to withdraw from the League without hesitation, with a declaration of her point of view to the world.

No Fear of World War.

In the War Minister's opinion, the apprehension that seems to be entertained by some people is unfounded. Japan's secession from the League would not immediately precipitate a world war, or seriously affect the country's economic interests. Seeing that all Western countries are in the slough of depression, none of them would be foolish enough to stake its national destiny on a war against Japan for the sake of an organ like the League of Nations. Those who fear Japan's isolation internationally may be reminded that there can be no greater isolation than at present. It may be that Japan will somewhat suffer economically in the beginning, but there will be no permanent injury to her economic interests.

If Japan does not sever connection with the League in these circumstances, General Araki further remarked, it would produce very bad effects on Manchukuo, and Japan's war expenditure would be kept continuously at a high level. This would in the end prove more disastrous to Japan's financial interests than the effects of withdrawal. Everybody is tired of the prolonged gloomy atmosphere of uncertainty; everybody desires a clarified atmosphere, if after a torrential cloudburst.

"Clean Up" in Jehol.

Referring to the question of Jehol, the War Minister says that it is a domestic matter of Manchukuo, pure and simple, and Japan, as signatory of the Protocol with that State, cannot either postpone or suspend operations. He puts special emphasis on the fact that the Japanese army is not a mere machine; and declares that the troops cannot be expected to do good work at the risk of their lives, should the country shape its course in a manner which destroys their martial spirit and enthusiasm. Just as iron must be struck while it is hot, the army must be moved when its spirit is roused. Such being the case, there can be neither suspension nor postponement of the clean-up campaign in Jehol. The Minister expresses great indignation at the circulation of impossible rumours of its suspension or postponement. The dissemination of such rumours are very reprehensible, and more reprehensible still are those who attempt to exploit such reports for speculative purposes or those who have no scruples about making political capital out of them.

When it is remembered that Japan's mistaken and retrogressive policy at the London Conference furnished one main cause of the present social unrest, the nation must show great endurance and patience in the last five minutes. Instead of adopting a vacillating attitude at the present critical juncture, the whole nation must firmly join hands one with another and go fearlessly on along the only road; the War Minister concludes.

According to a report from Nanking published in yesterday's "Chenpao," the Film Censorship Committee has sent a circular to the municipalities of various provinces asking them to notify cinemas in their districts that hereafter the wording "this film has been censored, permitted for public showing, and granted a licence" shall be inserted when a censored film is screened or when the new film is advertised. The Chinese report adds that as from March 1, the titles in all foreign films shall be translated into Chinese.

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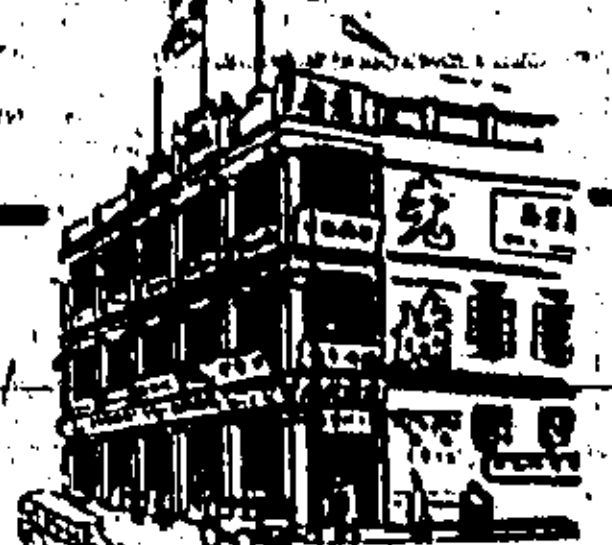
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Kowloon Bowling Green

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING LAST NIGHT

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

There was a large attendance at the Annual General Meeting of members of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club yesterday evening. Mr. E. W. L. Hogbin was in the chair.

Following the adoption of the minutes of the last meeting, which were presented by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. J. G. Meyer, the Chairman, Mr. Hogbin addressed the meeting.

THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Mr. E. W. L. Hogbin, the Chairman said:

Gentlemen,

The Report and Accounts have been in your possession for the prescribed length of time, and I will, with your permission, adopt the usual procedure and take them as read.

There is a small profit of \$728.87 on the working account for the year, and I believe this is the first time since 1928 that we have been in this healthy position.

Owing to the great care which has been bestowed on our Greens by our Groundwater and Staff, we have had very little expenditure in this connection during the year, and with the funds thus released we were able to carry out a lot of necessary work in other directions. New steel lockers have been provided in the dressing room, the verandah has been thoroughly redecorated and new lights installed, the cement pathways have been repaired and improved, the tennis gear has been considerably increased, and the fencing, grounds and Club House have been kept in a thorough state of repair.

Depreciation.

In addition, it was found necessary to recolor the hard tennis court, so that the sum of \$2,370 shown against repairs and renewals has been well spent.

Depreciation totalling \$1,732, has been charged in the working account, which is \$800 more than has been previously charged to this heading. This is mainly accounted for by the depreciation and the hard tennis court. In the case of the tennis court and the Kelvinator we have written off large amounts because we want to see these two items cleared from the accounts as quickly as possible.

The Bar.

The bar shows a profit of \$7,101, which is approximately \$2,000 in excess of last year's figure. This can be attributed mainly to the better exchange conditions—the selling prices having been based when the rate was low—and to the very efficient manner in which the bar has been run.

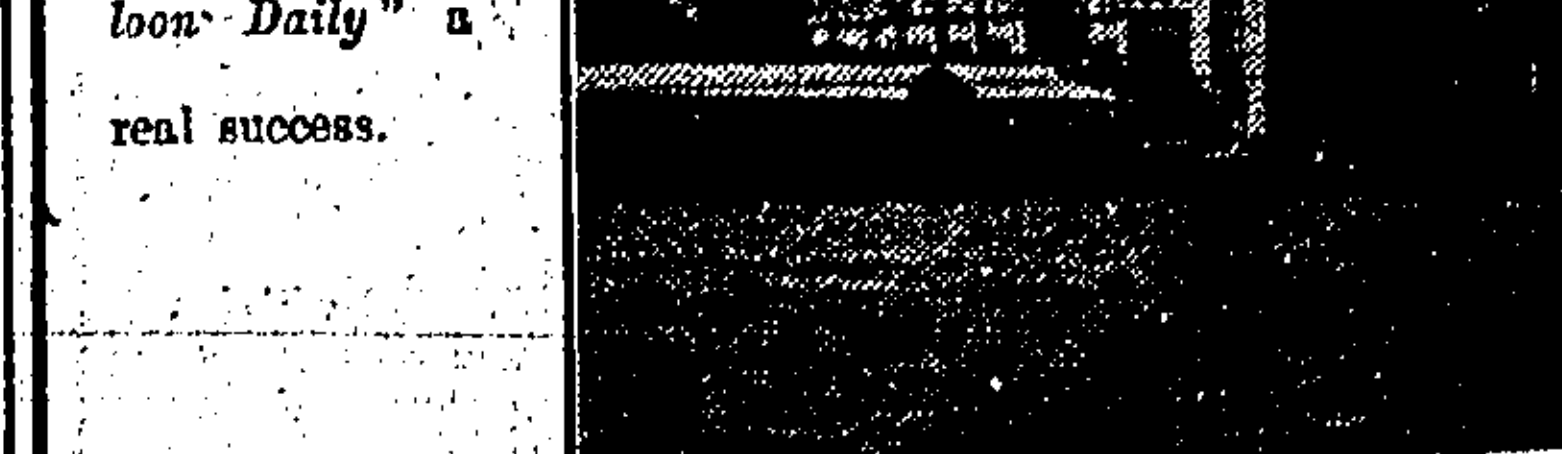
The increase shown against interest for debentures is, of course, due to the issue of an additional \$5,000 worth of debentures.

In conclusion

I wish to thank my brother officers and the members of the General and Sub-Committees for their splendid assistance, and to congratulate them on the very efficient and enthusiastic manner in which they have conducted the business of the Club.

PLEASE SEND PICTURES TO THE EDITOR

Snap shots of places of interest in Kowloon and the New Territories, groups of Kowloon residents, Children, Kowloon sports, Etc.



KOWLOON STATION CLOCK TOWER

The above is one of the most familiar views in Kowloon—the clock tower of the Railway Station looking from the Star Ferry.

CHURCH NEWS

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, KOWLOON

Services for Sunday, February 26. Quinquagesima Sunday. 8.15 a.m. Holy Communion. 10.00 " Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School. 11.00 " Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher—The Vicar. 3.00 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School. 6.00 " Musical Service. Address by the Vicar.

Ash Wednesday. Wednesday, 1st March, being Ash Wednesday, there will be Morning Prayer and Address at 10 a.m. and Litany and Prayers at 6 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Discussion Class.

The first of a series of discussions to be held throughout Lent, will take place on Thursday, March 2nd, at 9 p.m. in the Church Hall. The subject for discussion will be "A Philosophy of Life" and it will be introduced by Mr. Henry Kew. All friends will be welcome.

For Communicants.

Friday, March 3rd, Communicants' Preparation Service at 9 p.m.

which they have performed their work. Each member has carried out his duties so well that I feel I cannot particularise in any one case. It has been a great honour and pleasure to have served this Club as President during the past year.

I now have much pleasure in proposing the adoption of the report and accounts, and if some member will kindly second my proposal, I shall be pleased to answer any questions to the best of my ability.

Following the Chairman's address the members stood for a few moments in honour of the passing of the following members:—Messrs. S. Asworth, Capt. R. G. Groundwater, Capt. G. K. S. Hudson and Mr. S. Petroff.

The usual honours of \$200 each to the Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Secretary and Bar Convenor was passed unanimously.

NEW PRESIDENT

The Chairman, Mr. Hogbin, in rising to nominate Mr. F. L. Rapley as President of the Club remarked that Mr. Rapley was one of the oldest members of the Club and had served as Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and also as Vice-President during the past year. He now deserved the highest position which the Club could offer.

Mr. Rapley was unanimously elected with great applause.

MR. RAPLEY RETURNS THANKS

Mr. Rapley spoke as follows:—I thank you for having elected me as your President and assure you that I deeply appreciate the honour. I enter upon my year of office with some trepidation because such a high standard of excellence has been set by my predecessors.

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Read this letter from Prof. Maurice about benefit of BRACO RYE BREAD



Dear Sir,

I have tried your "Braco" rye bread and find it to be a very good one. I have been suffering from indigestion and have found that this bread is very easy to digest and it is very good for the stomach. I have been eating it for some time and I feel much better. I have also found that it is very good for the bowels and I have been able to eat more food than I could before. I have also found that it is very good for the nerves and I have been able to sleep better. I have also found that it is very good for the skin and I have been able to get rid of my acne. I have also found that it is very good for the hair and I have been able to get rid of my dandruff. I have also found that it is very good for the eyes and I have been able to get rid of my eye strain. I have also found that it is very good for the ears and I have been able to get rid of my ear ache. I have also found that it is very good for the nose and I have been able to get rid of my nosebleeds. 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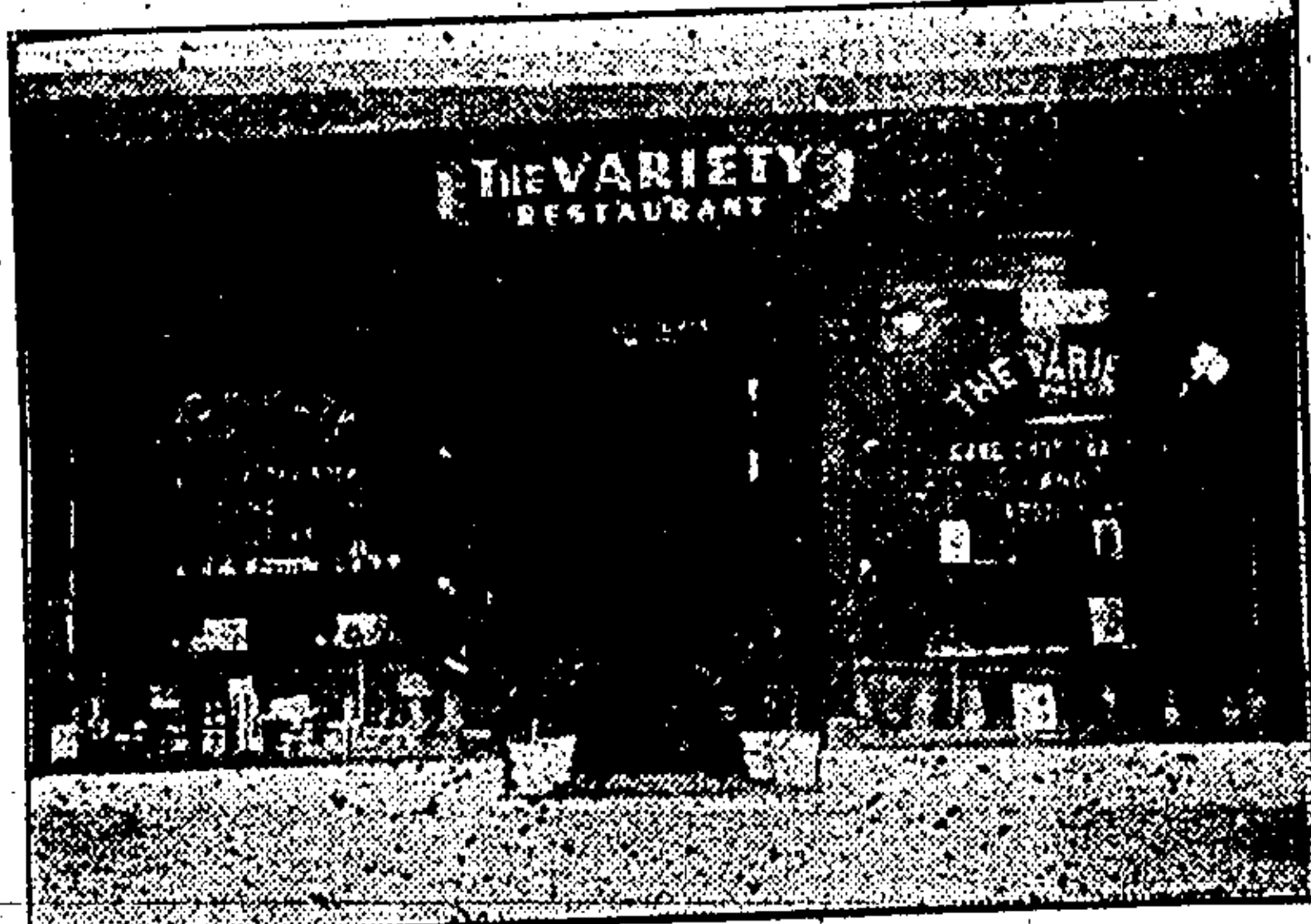
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KOWLOON BOWLING GREEN

(Continued from Page 1).

been set by our outgoing President and those before him. As most of you know I have always had a very high regard for this Club—in fact I consider it second to none in the Colony—and I shall do my utmost to preserve its prestige and further its interests. I ask for the support of every member, and, if this is forthcoming, look forward to a successful and I trust happy year for us all.

Redemption of Debentures.

As we have seen from the accounts just passed, the financial position of the Club is perfectly satisfactory. It will be my constant endeavour to guard and if possible improve this position and in this connection I think the new Committee should consider what steps can be taken to provide for the redemption of debentures. I want to say a word or two with regard to our predominant outdoor pastime—bowling. The poor showing of our teams last season—particularly our first team—is hard to understand. I can only think of one reason—it must have been the fault of our Bowls Convener—I may mention that this individual has informed me in strict confidence that he found the most difficult one he has yet tackled—and I admit I am very glad I shall not have it thrust upon me again this year. However, our prospects for the coming season are good—although we are losing some very fine bowlers we shall still have an abundance of bowling ability; we now have, thanks to Bob Hall, the best greens in the Colony—and if we pull our weight we can win both leagues!

Tennis and Concerts.

Our tennis section, which provides good sport for members and their ladies alike, progresses steadily and I hope the present year will see its popularity further increased.

I trust it will be found possible to again persuade some of our talented members to entertain us at a fresco concert and have no doubt our Whist Drives and Smoking Concerts will continue to thrive. Gentlemen, in accordance with ancient custom I will now call the boy but at the same time I should like to remind you of the great benefits of teetotalism.

VICE-PRESIDENT

Mr. D. Gow then proposed Mr. B. Wylie as vice-president and in doing so remarked that there was little need for him to speak on the qualities of Mr. Wylie, who had already filled high positions in the Club with great efficiency. Mr. J. S. McIntosh second the nomination and Mr. Wylie was unanimously elected.

Mr. J. L. Tetley was re-elected Hon. Treasurer.
Owing to the forthcoming departure on leave of Mr. J. G. Meyer, this gentleman could not be re-elected as Hon. Secretary but nominated Mr. J. S. Logan, who was unanimously elected.

General Committee.

The following were elected to serve on the General Committee:—Messrs. R. Hall, D. Gow, T. F. Bradford, O. E. M. Terry, L. Guy, W. S. Drake and G. E. F. Thompson.

The Ballotting Committee:—Messrs. J. Gibson, D. W. Waterton, G. R. Lieb, J. B. Sturgeon, Capt. T. Hard, and O. E. Elliot-Haywood. The following offered to present prizes for the various club competitions during the season:—Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., J. Gibson, W. S. Drake, H. Nish, D. Gow, G. E. F. Thompson, J. S. McIntosh, and B. Wylie (Auldreekie Cup), A. McIntyre, L. Guy, J. L. Tetley, R. Hall, Captain B. R. Branch, the Military members of the Club. The Galloway prize by Messrs. H. Nish, W. Russell and T. F. Bradford. (Continued on next column.)

KOWLOON NOTES

The Central British School will hold its annual athletic sports at King's Park at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

The wrestling bout between Tiger Daula and Joe Cross will take place to-morrow (Sunday) at 2.30 p.m. on the Kowloon Football Club ground. There will also be three preliminary bouts.

A 2-year-old Chinese girl was found by the Police abandoned on the U.S.R.C. ground at King's Park on Thursday. She was subsequently taken to the Kwong Wah Hospital.

In an attempt to overtake and board a moving bus in Kowloon, a 19-year-old Chinese was thrown heavily to the ground and suffered injuries resulting in his going to hospital.

As a result of a bamboo pole falling from an upper floor of a house in Canton Road, a Chinese woman was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital with head injuries.

HOCKEY

RADIO & POLICE

The following members of the Radio Sports Club will represent the R.S.C. Hockey XI in their M.H.T. match against the Hong Kong Police Hockey Club on Sunday, the 26th inst., at 11 a.m., at King's Park:—

Man Singh, Parduman Singh, J. S. Grewal, Jaggett Singh, M. H. Hassan, Mohinder Singh, Surjit Singh, Gurbachan Singh (Captain), Awtar Singh, Kalwant Singh and Attar Singh. Reserve: Prem Singh.

PASSENGERS

Departures.

The following passengers left by the P. & O. s.s. Comorin for Shanghai and Japan yesterday:—For Shanghai: Dr. A. S. Frowe, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pandray, Miss P. A. Pandray, Miss E. Pandray, Miss Morton, Mr. C. M. Mombber, Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, Mrs. G. H. Callaghan, Mr. G. Marques, Mr. H. White, Mr. J. E. Hope, Mr. D. Fraser, Mrs. S. Walen, Mr. K. S. Chang, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Tin Pak, Mr. and Mrs. N. Yarrow, Mrs. R. F. O. Master, Mrs. J. Scott, Sir James Jamieson, Mr. C. J. Meager, Mr. W. Hill, Miss J. J. Ferguson, Miss Hall, Mrs. MacBrayne, Mr. H. Glover, Mr. R. Adair, Mr. A. P. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Chau, Mr. K. H. Chan, Mr. O. K. Leung; for Kobe: Rev. Father C. N. Martin, Rev. Father G. D. Vicente, Rev. Father D. M. Marciano; for Yokohama: Col. J. Boyd, Mrs. M. K. Boyd.

and Messrs. J. S. Logan and G. R. Lieb.

General Business.

It was proposed by the Chairman and passed by the members that the present maximum limit to the prize fund list should remain at \$3.00.

A member of the sub-committee remarked that the idea of installing of the enclosed verandah was due to a recent member Mr. Wilson Brown. The verandah was unique and a very smart addition to the Club. He proposed that the Committee send a letter of appreciation to Mr. Wilson Brown.

To-day's Game.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Hogbin remarked that the five ring game against the P.W.D. was to take place to-day. The P.W.D. could only field a team of 30 players, and although there were 28 names on the Club's list he assured each player that they would get a game, and asked all to turn out.

BRITISH TELEPHONE STATISTICS

INCREASE DESPITE WORLD DECLINE

Sir Kingsley Wood, the Postmaster-General, speaking at a luncheon of the Country Chamber of Commerce revealed that there were fewer telephones in the world, but more in Europe. The latest general statistics of telephone development, he said, showed that throughout the world in 1931 the total number of telephone stations was about 35,169,000. There had been that year a decrease of about 174,000 telephones—this was the first year in the history of the telephone in which an actual decrease in the number of telephones had been recorded.

The principal loss was in North America, with a decrease of 550,000 stations. Europe in 1931 showed a fairly substantial gain of some 400,000 telephones—an addition of nearly 4 per cent. to its total. So far as 1931 was concerned the United States was still at the head of the list of telephone countries, with Canada second, New Zealand third, and Denmark fourth. Great Britain was tenth on the list, though he was glad to say it was second among the ten telephonically densest countries both in absolute growth and in percentage growth over the last five-year period. Great Britain was easily first in the world in absolute growth during 1931.

Official World Figures.

The official world figures for 1932 were not yet available, but the present indications were even more unfavourable so far as the world's telephones were concerned. It appeared that the United States had lost a further 1,500,000 telephones up to September last, and there was little prospect that Europe had made any such additions as would counterbalance this heavy loss. There was, in fact, a further heavy decrease in Germany, and for the whole world there would undoubtedly be a heavy decrease, which responsible observers estimated as something in the neighbourhood of 3,000,000 telephones, in 1932.

Increase in Great Britain.

In these circumstances the net increase of 60,300 telephones in 1932 in Great Britain could, he thought, be regarded, even by the most critical, as not unsatisfactory, though there was still much leeway to make up.

At the end of the year Great Britain had secured a total of 2,133,000 exchange telephones. During the year the number of exchanges had increased by 206 to 6,270 and the number of call offices by 2,300 to some 38,650. There had been considerable development in our automatic system. We had opened 67 new automatic exchanges, and in addition there were 318 rural automatic exchanges opened in the same period.

Canada's total immigrant population, according to the recent census, is 2,307,525, or about 22 per cent. of the roll-call of the nation. More than half of these immigrants, or 1,138,942, were born in the British Isles and 45,137 in other British countries. Nearly 29 per cent. of the total reported a year of arrival in Canada prior to 1911 and 255,682 have been resident in Canada for thirty years or more.

In British Columbia 46 per cent. of the population are of other than Canadian birth, and the proportion varies between that figure and the three per cent. of Prince Edward Island. Toronto has more immigrants in its population, both actually and proportionately, than any other Canadian city, with 238,912 out of a total of 631,207 claiming other than native birth.

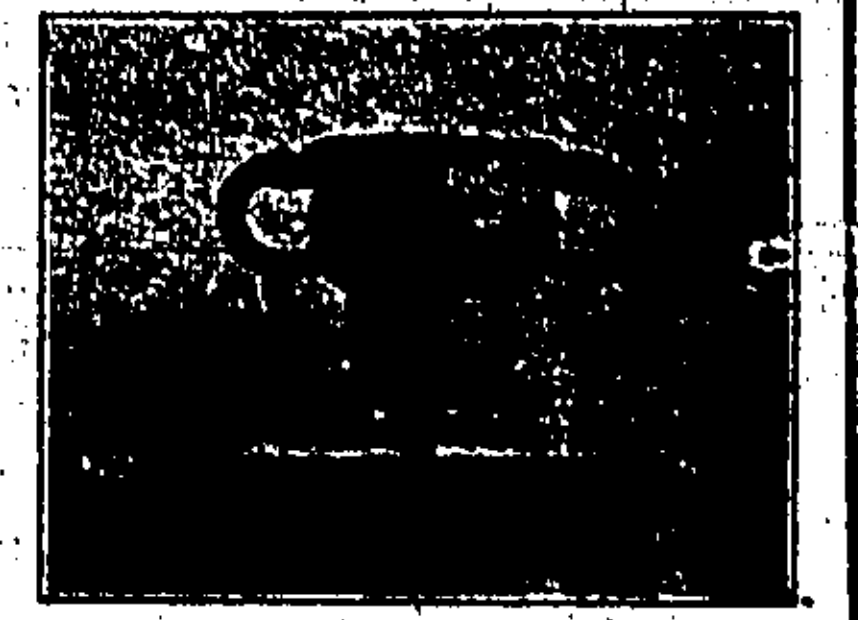
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CABARETS A BAD INFLUENCE?

Undergraduates Answer in Affirmative

LAST NIGHT'S SPIRITED DEBATE

That there is still a good deal of misunderstanding and mystery about local cabarets was amply proved at a debate which was held at the University Union last night when a resolution to the effect that "cabarets have a bad influence on the community" was discussed and adopted.

While the debate itself was most enjoyable, and while the shifts of supporters and denouncers of cabarets were in some cases pointed and witty, the lamentable fact remained that much of the discussion which took place was on questions of morals rather than the resolution before the house. Quite a number of lady undergraduates were present and all of them, it was noticed, refrained from voting, due possibly to a very blunt and somewhat brutal question that was put to them generally by the denouncers of cabarets.

Very Bad!

The proposer of the motion, in an eloquent speech pointed out that the cabarets which advertised "dancing instruction" supplied nothing of the kind. "If you visit these cabarets you will find bad music, bad dancing, bad environments, and bad partners," he said. But this was not all. It was bad for the health of both old and young to attend these places, as the physical exhaustion following a night's dancing was tremendous. The proposer also drew attention to the fact that the cabarets "sprang up like mushrooms" following certain recent legislation.

After discussing on dancing partners, the speaker, addressing the ladies present, said dramatically: "Would you throw over your books and lead such a life?" The opposer of the motion created a tremendous amount of laughter when he drew attention to the long skirts which were in vogue in the '20s and the bathing costumes of by-gone days. Since that day women's skirts have shrunk considerably and as for bathing costumes, well he would not attempt to describe some of the modern creations.

Part of Civilization.

In every civilized city, cabarets existed. They were part of civilization. He asked the audience to picture to themselves the incredibility with which a future generation would read an account of the debate which they were conducting! The University was the "Lighthouse of the Far East." As such they should be up-to-date in their views, and should not hold "grandmotherly" ideas about cabarets. He defended cabaret girls and said that patrons of cabarets were assisting unemployed!

Cabarets helped one to forget one's worries and on that account alone should be tolerated; and they by no means had a bad influence on the community.

General Discussion.

In the discussion which followed many opinions were brought out. Those who supported the cabarets asked why the Government had not stopped them if they were as bad as they had been painted at the debate. Were not the denouncers of cabarets hypocrites? Where in Hong Kong could one hear such good music as at the Majestic cabaret? Many similar questions were asked in quick succession, while those who against cabarets described some of the speeches in support as "mouthfuls of rubbish." There was quite a good deal of laughter when one speaker, who obviously is not very familiar with dancing, referred to the "waltz, Blues and Foxes." He was promptly pulled up by an opponent who told him that there was no known abbreviation for "Foxes."

At the conclusion of the debate, a vote was taken the result being 50-20 in favour of the resolution that the cabarets have a bad influence on the community.

VARSITY FAREWELL PARTY

IN HONOUR OF MR. J. DAY, A.M.I.E.

At the Hong Kong University Union yesterday afternoon, the Engineering undergraduates held a farewell tea-party in honour of Mr. J. Day, A.M.I.E., Demonstrator in Electrical Engineering, who is going home on leave.

There was a large attendance among whom were noticed, Prof. W. Reid, Mr. D. W. Morley, Mr. D. F. Davies and Mr. Lo Chi Chiu who all gave brief speeches wishing Mr. Day bon voyage and a pleasant holiday in England. Mr. Day suitably replied, and the function was concluded with three cheers for him.

Mrs. Day and her daughter Barbara left the Colony some time back and are at present in England.

"CHINA LIGHT" ARBITRATION

SHEWAN TOMES AWARDED \$2,000,000

The Chief Justice, Sir Joseph Kemp, Kt., C.B.E., as sole arbitrator decided yesterday that Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ltd., are to receive the sum of two million dollars compensation for relinquishment of the General Managership of the China Light and Power Co., Ltd.

The arbitration proceedings have continued for several months. Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Sir William Shenton, of Deacons, appeared for Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ltd., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., and Mr. F. X. D'Almeida e Castro, Jr., were counsel for the China Light and Power Co., Ltd.

Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co. were General Managers of the China Light and Power Co. for many years, but early in last year the shareholders of the latter company decided that their company should have its own directorate.

Several extraordinary meetings were held last March, as a result of which an agreement was formally ratified providing for assessment by arbitration of the compensation to be paid to Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co., Ltd.

The Chief Justice was appointed sole arbitrator.

HANKOW GIVES WAY TO WUCHANG

NEW POLITICAL AND MILITARY CENTER

Hankow, Feb. 18.—Pursuant to instructions from the Commander-in-Chief's Headquarters, the Hupoh Provincial Department of Reconstruction is formulating plans for the development of Wuchang as the political and military center of the province. The scheme aims at the ultimate removal of all government organs from Hankow to Wuchang.

Hankow is to become a purely commercial and industrial center. It is learnt that the first steps in this direction will be the construction of roads leading from important parts of Wuchang city to the river-front and other points.

Removal of the Commander-in-Chief's Headquarters from Hankow to Wuchang was begun early this week and is expected to be completed by to-morrow. The new Headquarters will be housed in the building occupied by the Tsuchuns (military governors) of pre-Kuomintang regimes.—Kuo Min.

CONSERVANCY WORK ON GRAND CANAL

VOTE OF \$80,000.

Tientsin, Feb. 18.—A sum of \$80,000 was appropriated by the Hupoh Provincial Government yesterday for flood prevention work along the northern section of the Grand Canal, the Yung Ting River, and other important waterways of the province. The Department of Reconstruction has been instructed to attend to the work immediately.—Kuo Min.

FATE OF NEWSPAPER PLANT

REMOVED TO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OFFICES

Chinkiang, Feb. 18.—The entire plant of the Kiang Sheng Pao was removed to the Kiangsu Provincial Government building yesterday under the direction of the police. This paper sprang into prominence when its editor, the late Liu Yu Sheng, was arrested by the Provincial authorities several months ago and executed last month on charges of disseminating communist propaganda. The office of the journal was subsequently sealed. As a result of alleged illegalities, the Control Yuan has impeached General Ku Chu Tung, Chairman of the Kiangsu Provincial Government.—Kuo Min.

Hangchow, Feb. 18.—As a result of discussions between Messrs. Liu Yen and Tseng Yang Fu, Provincial Commissioners of Reconstruction for Anhwei and Chinkiang respectively, it is reported that arrangements have been made regarding the sharing of expenses for the construction of the Hangchow-Hweichow Highway. Mr. I arrived here yesterday and will proceed later to Shanghai to negotiate with banking circles there for a loan to finance Anhwei's share of the expenditure. It is learnt that the cost of the construction of the uncompleted section of the Highway from Kwei chow, in Anhwei, to Changching, in Chinkiang, amounts to approximately \$80,000. 80 percent of this sum will be borne by the Anhwei Provincial Government and the balance by Chinkiang.—Kuo Min.

THREE WOMEN MISSING

Disappearance Of Up-Country Cousins

FRUITLESS THREE-DAY SEARCH

"Master please you talkie policeman," with these words an amah employed in the house of a Daily Press representative began yesterday an extraordinary story which the police are now investigating.

It appears, from the amah's not entirely comprehensible account, that four Chinese women, presumably also of the amah class, arrived in Hong Kong on Wednesday afternoon, and completely disappeared within half an hour or so of landing. The women came from some village "Canton more far" and travelled on a river steamer. They were met at the wharf by another woman, and one of the four accompanied her to what was described by the amah as "the big makee light shop" while the other three waited on the wharf for their return.

"Makee Light Shop."

One presumes that this visit to the "makee light shop" was in order to get in touch with some relation employed there, but our representative was not able to get a clear answer on this point. When, however, the two women returned to the wharf after about half an hour they could find no trace of the other three who should have been waiting there for them.

Enquiries at the hotel where the four women had intended to put up resulting merely in the information that the three missing women had not been heard of there, the fourth woman and her friend appear to have come to the conclusion that the other three had been kidnapped, and perhaps enticed into a brothel. Thursday was spent in fruitless searchings and enquiries, and Friday morning brought the request with this story opens.

Since the missing women are described by the amah as being one about 24 and the other two some three years older, the fears of their friends are probably not without foundation.

THE INSPECTION OF SHIPPING

NEW CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM.

Nanking, Feb. 19.—New rules governing the inspection of shipping by the various Navigation Bureaux under its control were announced by the Ministry of Communications yesterday. The action was taken in accordance with a recent decision of the Ministry to limit the scope and duties of these bureaux.

According to the rules, of the following tonnage are subject to inspection by the Bureaux: (1) steamers of more than 30 tons displacement; (2) sailing vessels of more than 200 tons displacement; and (3) sailing vessels of more than 200 piculs displacement and capable of undertaking sea voyages. Boats which depend on cars as the main propelling force, however, are not included in the above categories, irrespective of tonnage displacement.

In connection with the question of the tonnage of shipping vessels, the Ministry of Communications, in a dispatch to the Ministry of Finance, requests that the English system of measurement be still used, at least temporarily, instead of the metric system in view of the numerous difficulties which would arise as a result of a change. "It may be recalled that the metric system has been officially adopted as the standard throughout the country.—Kuo Min.

THE TIENTSIN-PUKOW RAILWAY

PLAN TO SPEED THINGS UP

Nanking, Feb. 19.—A plan has been drawn up by the Traffic Department of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway to speed up railway travel. It is understood that all trains will be classified into three groups according to their speed; details have been submitted to the Ministry of Railways for consideration.

The plan has been communicated to the Administrations of the Tientsin-Pukow, Lungsai, and Kweichow-Tientsin Railways, and it is expected that arrangements may be made to speed up the schedule for through traffic between these lines.—Kuo Min.

MR. PEPYS IN HONG KONG

18th.—This day up very betimes it being the first day of the Races, and I am minded to go to them. Bathed and trimmed myself and to my office by a little past eight of the clock, which sadly discomforts my boy who has not yet lit my fire. Did rebuke him seriously, and so fall to work. Later, having ordered my papers, to the Clubbe where about eleven of the clock I take my morning draught and eat a sandwich or two. There I meet Mr. J. Robert who tells me that the Dramatic Club do put on the play "Nine till Five" and it shall be done at the King's House on the fourteenth, fifteenth and sixteenth of March. And of all plays that the Club hath produced, I learn that in this the caste be of women alone and no man's part therein. And so I envy not the lot of the producer. Thereafter my motor-coach being come, I leave for the Valley and come just in time to see The Goat win the Wong Nei Chong Stakes. But Lord! so hot a favourite he is, I get not even money upon my wager. Yet am I glad to see Way-fong win, which indeed is, as I think, their first success since Monk ran. Beyond that I wager little, but walk in the enclosure where are set the finest flowers and plants I have seen these many days, and it reflects mightily credit upon the Clerk of the Course or whoever it is responsible. The wind blowing chill I do on an overcoat, and am at a stand to know how the pretty Chinese ladies in slit skirts catch not a chill in their nether limbs, of which there be a most plentiful display. But I had rather they drew up their silken hose more trimly, there being so many necks and wrinkles it was a shame to see. This day I take my luncheon in the Clubbe Stand when I find Mr. Povy and a mighty neat ordered tiffin of cold meats, and salad. Here we fall taking of the defeat of Coo Coo Bay in the Maiden Stakes and are at a stand to know how it may bear upon the Derby. Mr. Povy maintaining she did get a bad start and then hit the rails, while I say that however that may be, I doubt if her heart be in the game. And later, when Trent-bridge doth walk away with the Trial Plate, I am well assured my money shall go upon him in the Derby. Later it irks me much that when I have made a wager upon Herman, the Judge doth give it a dead heat, whereas I am well assured my penny doth win by a short head, or it may be a tongue. And so the day's racing ends very pleasantly, with no accidents or mishaps to jockeys, save one, and case of sleepiness in the twelfth race when "Blink" Bay is beaten for the first time. And so after a few flagons of ale in the Jockey Clubbe bar, home by hackney motor-coach to the Clubbe, where I dine and so mighty early to bed.

19th, Lord's Day.—This day lay late and after I begin to pack away my books, but Lord! I make a poor job of it and later go the barre where much talk of the races. Later packing my garments.

20th.—This day up very betimes to my office where to my great surprise I find a great pressure of work, and am so thorough with my papers that I reach not the Course until well nigh half past one of the clock. But Lord! when I arrive what a company of sad idle people did I find who had been there since the first race and so had won heavy wagers upon Kikikiat and Tilt-hum. This day I again take my tiffin in the Clubbe Stand and I do perceive it proves as good as ever it was. But after all my wagers, save that upon Trent-bridge do go sadly amiss. Yet I meet a friend or two and over a glass of strong waters do forget my losses. And I am the more ready to do so when I reflect upon the great success of my old friend Mr. J. Heard, who now resumes the slim and boyish figure I had known these many years but had sadly missed last year. And it seems he hath abated nothing of his skill, and his judgment is as good as ever it was. Mr. L. Frost too is in mighty good case, and I have it in mind that he is the most skilled of the lot, to take all in all, save it may be Mr. Needa. Home and early to bed.

21st.—This day I was minded to get to the Course by eleven thirty of the clock at latest, so up very betimes bathed and trimmed myself and did on my new coat of blue broad cloth, and to the office by eight of the clock but Lord! such a press of business there is I no more than come in time to see the fourth race. And so, though I have followed Jingle heretofore I know not if he shall run or when, and not being here did miss his dividend of eight eighty florins, which did irk me beyond measure. Tiffed with friends in their box where very good cheer and the company all very merry. And Lord! for once in my life I do profit by a being so, for I doubt not I shall be a better man for it. I was so much soothed, there being a flaggon or two of strong ale and it may be a flask of eau de vie. This night very tired and writing in my diary. And thus ends all that I doubt I shall ever do in the keeping of my journal, I being not able to do it any longer through lack of time. And thus I turn the page, and so to bed.

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BROKER'S CLAIM AGAINST EMPLOYER

PROMISE OF BUSINESS THAT WAS NOT FULFILLED

A claim for \$300 representing wages, was made by one Yang Shiu Tong against Messrs. Frank Cole and Company yesterday before the Puisne Judge at the Supreme Court. Mr. H. L. Denys appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. F. O. E. Rendall for the defence.

Mr. Denys explained that the claim was one for wages and also for a month's salary in lieu of notice. The plaintiff was a sundries broker who joined Frank Cole and Company some time in September. He was paid a month's salary (\$100) for October and was also paid a month's salary in November but he was not paid for December. On January 9, he received a notice written by the defendant firm which, said Mr. Denys, was not a proper notice, as it should have been given at the beginning of the month.

His Lordship thought that a month's notice between employer and servant could be given on any day of the month and differed from the notice applicable in the case of landlord and tenant.

The plaintiff having given evidence in support of his solicitor's opening, the defendant, Mr. Frank Cole, went into the box and said that the plaintiff was engaged because he claimed he could introduce business up to \$600,000 a year. He was given two months' trial, during which time, said Mr. Cole, the plaintiff brought in \$11,000 worth of business only. His salary was reduced by consent to \$50 a month and \$10 allowance for transportation. The plaintiff had absented himself from the office since January 9. Defendant said he had paid nine days' salary into Court. His Lordship found that there was a conflict of evidence and he believed the defendant's story. Judgment was given for the plaintiff for the nine days' salary which had been paid into Court (\$17.41), which costs.

CHINESE GOVERNMENT STAMPS

CASE WITHDRAWN BY POLICE.

The charge against Wong Yim, an accountant of the Chan Min Kee postal-hong, 38 Wing Lok Street, who was alleged to have had in his possession, with a view to sale, a large quantity of Chinese Government postage stamps from which the cancelling marks had been partially or wholly removed, was withdrawn by the Police at Central Magistracy yesterday.

No reason was given by the Police for this action, and Mr. D. B. Evans, who appeared for the defendant, asked whether the case was being dismissed.

The Magistrate (Mr. Wynne Jones) replying, made a distinction between "withdrawal" and "dismissal," and after Mr. Evans had indicated that he had nothing to say, discharged the defendant.

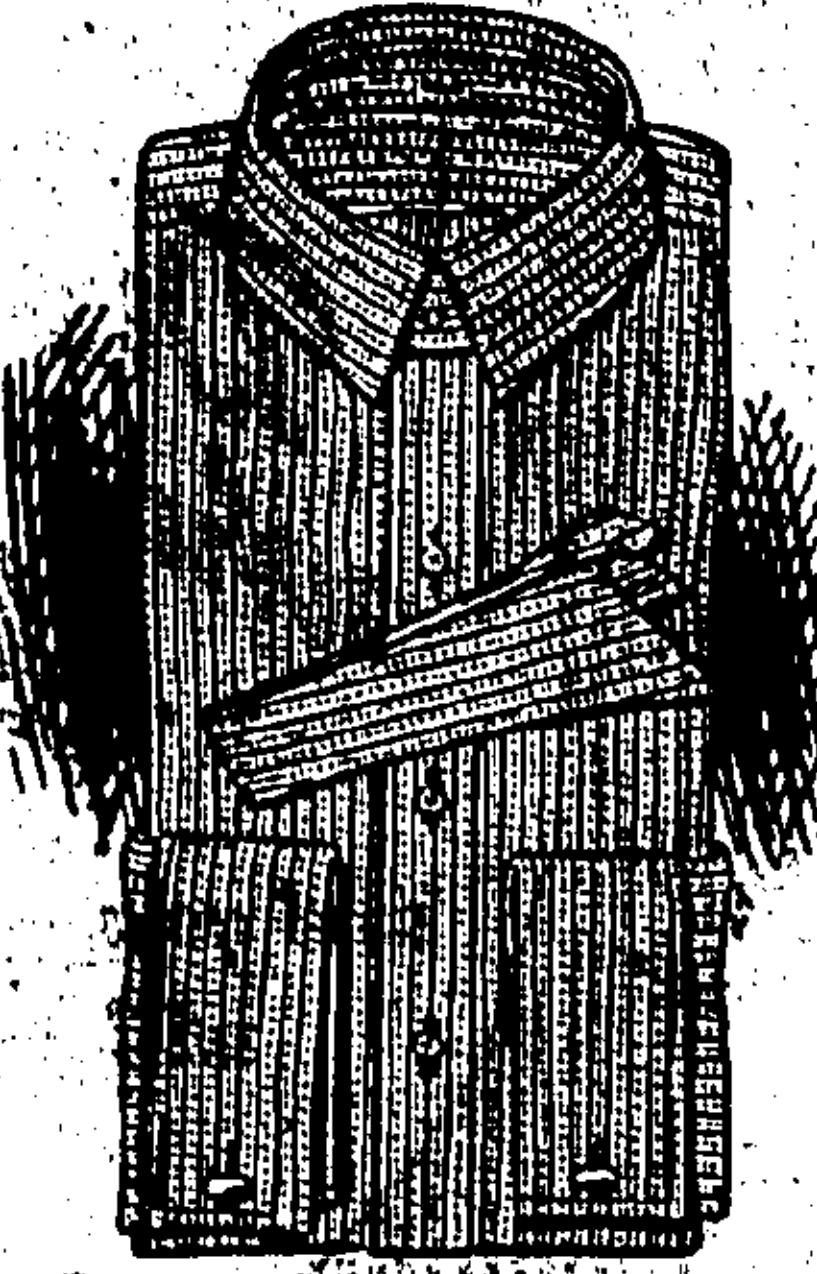
frequently as indeed does 219! Talking of this, Oread and I go back to the Clubbe and dine at our case upon a joint of cold beef and some tomatoes from my garden which prove as good as any I ever ate.

22nd.—I had this day scarce opened my eyes when I do search my news sheets for the ticket numbers in the Champions, but am much vexed I draw nothing. So to the office where again I am mighty busy, and as I suppose, I have done more work these last four days of the Races than in a week of the past year, so contrary things be. Later, my duty being done I repair to the Clubbe Stand where again there is a most excellent tiffin and a mighty large company. Watched the Races but Lord! Even Trent-bridge comes no where near Liberty Bay well as he runs. And I am now of the opinion that Liberty Bay would beat Diana Bay over a mile and a quarter, but this, as I suppose, we shall never know, there being no sense in giving the two a grueling race for no purpose save interest. In the last race, Snappy Ewe, or so I think it to be, crosses her legs and gives Mr. Noronha a heavy fall, and I am right glad to hear they do report him is not in danger for the pony did seem to fall upon him and then slide along. But I trust that at the latter end he will take no lasting harm of it.

23rd.—Very busy handing my office to my partner and in settling my debts.

24th.—All this day I do pack my gear and order my private baggage and prepare my trunk and boxes for transport to the Heijutane where I doubt not I shall be a better man for it. I was so much soothed, there being a flaggon or two of strong ale and it may be a flask of eau de vie. This night very tired and writing in my diary. And thus ends all that I doubt I shall ever do in the keeping of my journal, I being not able to do it any longer through lack of time. And thus I turn the page, and so to bed.

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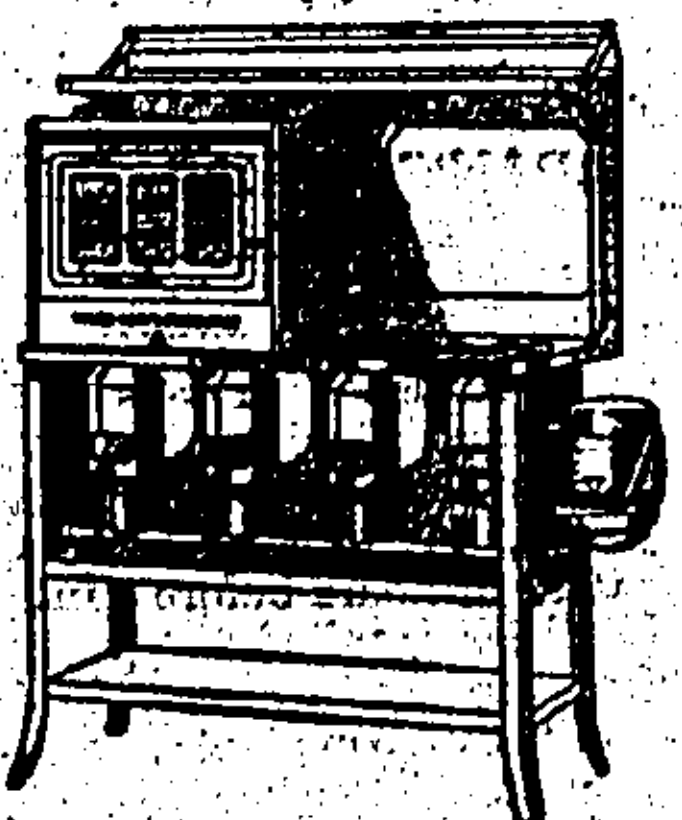
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Hongkong, 24th February, 1933.

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Hong Kong, 7th Feb., 1933. [367]

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By order of the Board of Directors, F. H. CRAPNEL, Secretary.

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To Mr. and Mrs. G. U. DA ROZA, at 237, Prince Edward Road, a son. Mother and child both doing well.

DEATH.
HOUSTON.—On February 13, MARTIN HENRY HOUSTON, of Alex. Ross & Co., Manchester, late of Shanghai and Peiping.

ENGAGEMENT.
HANSEN-JOHNSTON.—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss MABEL LORRAINE JOHNSTON to Mr. ALFRED MARCUS ALBERT HANSEN.

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JAPAN'S SPEAR HEAD

This Far Eastern situation again takes precedence in World affairs. At the time of writing the Japanese general offensive has not yet been launched, but it is probably only a matter of hours before "full speed ahead" is signalled to the military machine in Manchuria. Up to now the Chinese troops have fought with the greatest determination, but it cannot be denied that the real testing lies ahead. The struggle reverberates throughout the world, and the attack on China is a challenge also to the League of Nations, and the post-war ideal of abolishing war and the settlement of international disputes by Conferences before and not after the wanton spilling of blood and destruction of property.

It is well at this time to study the nature of the tremendous military organisation in the Island Empire, that has grown in a couple of generations from the era of bows and arrows. Yesterday in this column something was said of the training of Japan's officers and the soldier-statesmen who guide her destinies. A few facts about the human material at their disposal will throw light on the nature of the whole body of Japanese militarism.

The Japanese infantryman is content with the simplest fare, and the simplest quarters. He is easily disciplined, and his officers possess a powerful lever in the implicit belief in the divinity of the Emperor. The soldier is taught that to die on the battlefield for the Emperor is the reason he was given

life. The Army officers discipline their men by reading Imperial Rescripts that bring tears to the eyes of offenders, for all misdemeanours and derelictions are against the divine Emperor. From the day the soldier enters barracks every care is taken to inculcate what are known as the Seven Duties of the Soldier, namely, loyalty, valour, patriotism, obedience, humility, morality and honour. Long lectures are given on these subjects and every opportunity taken to instill these virtues in the men.

The following passage on loyalty, from the Imperial Rescript, summarises the whole doctrine of the Japanese soldier:—

"A soldier or sailor in whom this spirit of loyalty is not strong, however skilled in art or proficient in science, is a mere puppet and a body of soldiers or sailors wanting in loyalty, however well ordered or disciplined, in an emergency is no better than a rabble. Remember that, as the protection of the State, and the maintenance of its power depend upon the strength of its arms, the growth or decline of this strength must affect the nation's destiny for good or evil; therefore neither be led astray by current opinions nor meddle in politics, but with a single heart fulfil your essential duty of loyalty, and bear in mind that duty is weightier than a mountain, while death is lighter than a feather."

The soldier's life is closely regulated and every effort made to keep from him political issues, and to prevent him reading either books or newspapers dealing with such matters. The Army clings, in fact, to the virtues of an older and simpler age: "Living to be overwhelmed with the innumerable and immeasurable blessings of Imperial goodness; dead to become one of the guardian deities of the country, and as such to receive unique honours in the temple."

It is easy to see how this doctrine, simple and lofty in many respects, selfish and narrow in others, clashes with the ideas of the modern world. Those of all lands who worship the old way, have, through the ages, precipitated wars in order to rally the nation for a great effort and a moral regeneration. It is needless to cite examples from the past. Generally this desperate remedy fails, and unless Japan is willing to go back to the obscurity of the pre-Meiji age, it will be impossible to preserve the simple and admirable beliefs of that time. War almost invariably hastens the fall of the things that its promoters are seeking to preserve. And of nothing is it more destructive than dynasties and military systems.

OBITUARY

COL. WATTS-MORGAN, M.P.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Feb. 23.
THE death has occurred of Colonel Watts-Morgan, Labour M.P. for East Rhondda, aged 40.

During the war, he distinguished himself by holding up the German advance at Cambrai with 400 men of the Welsh Labour Battalion, armed only with picks and shovels. In peacetime, he also displayed great gallantry on rescue work in Welsh pit disasters.

At the last election, Colonel Watts-Morgan had a majority of 11,727 over his communist rival.

IN HONOUR OF SAMUEL PEPYS

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Feb. 23.
A TERCENTENARY commemoration service for Samuel Pepys, the famous diarist, was held in London to-day and was attended by the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs.

U.S. SECRETARY FOR WAR

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 23.
MR. GEORGE DERN, who was formerly Governor of Utah, has announced that he has accepted the appointment of Secretary for War in the Roosevelt Cabinet.

SIR MALCOLM CAMPBELL

SENDING "BLUE BIRD" BACK TO ENGLAND.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Feb. 23.
SIR Malcolm Campbell has ended his speed record attempts, as his doctors have ordered him not to use his left wrist, which was so badly sprained that he could only use one hand to control the car when establishing his fresh record at Daytona yesterday. The "Blue Bird" is being packed for shipment to England via New York.

IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

CLOUDY; SOME RAIN

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.30 P.M., STATED:—

THE ANTI-CYCLONE OVER N. CHINA HAS INCREASED IN INTENSITY. DEPRESSIONS ARE SITUATED OVER S. JAPAN AND TO THE NORTH-EAST OF HOKKAIDO. FRESH MONSOON WILL PREVAIL OVER THE CHINA COAST AND THE NORTHERN CHINA SEA.

LOCAL FORECAST: N.E. WINDS, FRESH; CLOUDY, PROBABLY SOME RAIN.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

BRITAIN CONSIDERING VOLUNTARY WORK SCHEME.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Feb. 23.
ANSWERING a question calling his attention to a voluntary work scheme in Germany, whereby employment has been provided for 200,000 youths on schemes of communal service, the Labour Minister, Sir Henry Betterton, told the House of Commons he was giving most careful consideration to the question of introducing a similar scheme into Britain. What was appropriate to one country might, however, not be suitable for another.

IRISH TARIFF WAR

BRITISH EFFORT AT CONCILIATION.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Feb. 23.
IN THE House of Commons to-day, asked if he would be prepared to negotiate with the Irish Free State Government with a view to exempting equivalent Irish products from the special duties, in return for a withdrawal of the Irish duty on British coal, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, said any attempt to reach a partial settlement of the Anglo-Irish dispute on the suggested lines was not likely to be useful.

At the same time, as he had frequently explained, the United Kingdom Government remained desirous of a friendly settlement with the Irish Free State, provided on the basis that the validity of existing obligations was accepted.

★ News and Views ★

Lightning Growth.

The rise to power of the Army Comrades' Association has been remarkably swift. A visitor to Ireland states:—"I journeyed through the Free State in September, shortly after the A.C.A. had been formed."

It was never seriously discussed in my hearing, and reports of its meetings in the local Press were swamped by reports of the I.R.A. activities. Now, we are told, politics are fearlessly and openly discussed in the Free State, thanks to the influence of the A.C.A. Such a state of affairs most certainly did not exist four months ago."

Two Parties—Two Armies.

It is doubtful whether the Irish political situation has a parallel in the modern world. On the one hand there is Mr. de Valera's party backed, or rather pushed, by the I.R.A.; on the other there is Mr. Cosgrave's party backed and, according to the Home reports, beginning to fear the domination of the White Army, the A.C.A. By all accounts the two armies are more or less evenly matched. The situation in Germany is no comparison, for there the different political armed forces are by no means evenly matched and their political shades are more confusing.

The Truant.

The escapee of Inniskillen, Mr. Peter Thrale's truant racehorse, told in the Home papers recalls a similar but more entertaining episode in India. While a number of racehorses from Australia were being landed at Kidderpore docks a few years ago, one, belonging to a well-known Calcutta owner, broke away from its groom and galloped off. A few days later it was found in the shafts of a small "bus" belonging to the local convent school.

It was discovered that the horse which had drawn the convent "bus," for years having died, the nuns had held a session of prayer with the object of discovering a generous friend who would help them to buy another. One morning they opened their front door to find a fine young horse quietly grazing on their lawn. A direct answer!

The Calcutta owner, being a good sport, presented the nuns with a more suitable steed.

Barracking.

Mr. P. F. Warner tells a story of the Australian barracker which amusingly illustrates that irrepressible critic's sense of justice—his impulse to be "impartially unfair to both sides." The story relates to the Test in which Mr. Warner put on Bosanquet to bowl googlies. As usual, Bosanquet could not find a length in his first over; and the barracker shouted, "Plum, you're a—fool."

Soon after, two great Australian batsmen fell to Bosanquet, and as

the second wicket went down the candid barracker shouted, "Plum, it's me that's the—fool."

Not less memorable is the remark of a Yorkshire spectator, shouted to George Hirst, after that great cricketer had made two ducks, failed to take a wicket, and finally dropped an easy match. "George," called a voice, "tha's nowt left now, but to miss the train."

Those Tariff Walls!

Winnipeg, Man.—Hungry farmers in the municipality of Rhineland, in southern Manitoba, have been offered all the potatoes they can dig and haul away by their neighbours across the line in North Dakota, but the operation of the Canadian tariff is an obstacle to the carrying out of the plan. Rhineland farmers suffered from drought last summer and had a poor crop. Many of them are almost destitute and will have to be fed from public funds during the winter. Seeing their distress, North Dakota farmers across the border have offered them all the potatoes they wish, as potatoes there are a glut on the market and worth very little. But there is a Canadian duty of 45 cents a bushel on potatoes imported from the United States.

From Soap to Chewing-Gum.

The late William Wrigley, whose estate, valued at nine million pounds, has just been granted probate in the New York courts, came across chewing-gum quite casually, and without at first realising that this was the stuff out of which fortunes were to be made. His original business was selling soap, and to stimulate declining sales he hit upon the idea of giving a bonus present to each buyer, on the since well-tried principle that many people will buy things they don't want in order to get something else for nothing. The free presents included all sorts of articles from scent bottles to baking powder, but there always ensued a saturation-point at which the public had had enough of those particular gifts.

Looking round for fresh novelties, Wrigley discovered a small chewing-gum factory in the country, and arranged to take part of its output to distribute with his soap. The free packet of chewing-gum proved an immediate "winner," and the sales of soap went up with a bound, so much so that Wrigley decided that what the public really wanted was not soap but chewing-gum. He therefore dropped his flourishing soap business, bought up the gum factory, and set out to give employment to the jaws of half the civilised (and uncivilised) world.

Local and General

Five more cases of small-pox, one of diphtheria and one of meningitis were reported on Thursday.

Mrs. W. T. Fulstow, wife of Mr. W. T. Fulstow of the Asia Realty Co., is sailing for England to-day by the P. & O. str. Rajputana.

The Annual General Meeting of the Hong Kong Women's Guild and Minister Children's League will be held at the Helena May Institute on Thursday, March 9 at 10.30 p.m.

When the Rajputana sails from the Colony this morning, one of her passengers will be Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor who is proceeding Home on leave.

An attempt to commit suicide by taking an overdose of opium was made by Wong Siu Ting, a 23 year old student living at the Man Kwok Boarding House. He was, however, found just in time and removed to hospital in a semi-conscious condition.

The birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. G. U. da Roza of 237, Prince Edward Road is announced elsewhere in our columns. We are glad to be able to state that both mother and child are doing well.

"The Management of the Hong Kong Hotel advises that owing to the engagement of the Roof Garden for a Wedding Reception this afternoon the usual Tea Dance will take place in the Grill Room."

H.M.S. Wild Swan, Destroyer, Commander P. Todd, is due at Shanghai on Thursday, February 23, from Nanking, where she will be relieved by H.M.S. Verity. After fuelling, she will sail for Hong Kong on February 28.

Amongst the passengers who left by the s.s. Rajputana for Home this morning were Mr. P. J. de Rome, the headmaster of Queen's College, and Mr. E. W. Hamilton, the head of the Import and Export Department.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

Local.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club held their general meeting yesterday. Mr. J. L. Rapley was elected President. Page 1. Kowloon Supplement.

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Official Summary on Page 12.

China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd. held their annual meeting yesterday. Full report Page 6.

The Puisne Judge dismissed a claim for wrongful dismissal brought by a sundries broker against Messrs. Frank Cole & Co. Page 7.

Yesterday's matches in the H.K. Cricket Club's Tennis Tournament appear on Page 10.

A strange story is told of the complete disappearance on Wednesday of three young Chinese women half an hour after their arrival in the Colony. Page 7.

Messrs. Shawan, Tomes & Co., Ltd. have been awarded \$2,000,000 compensation on relinquishing general management of the China Light & Power Co., Ltd. Page 7.

University undergraduates, decided last night, after a debate, that local cabarets had a bad influence on the community. Page 7.

Mr. Papsy gives his "eve of departure" entry in his diary. Page 7.

Far East.

The Assembly of the League adopted the Report of the Committee of Nineteen, Japan dissenting, and Siam abstaining. After the announcement of the result the Japanese delegates walked out. Page 8.

Japan will probably continue to co-operate with the Disarmament Conference. The Tokyo Government will decide whether Japan is to break completely with the League. Page 8.

Japanese claim to have entered Kailash. Page 9.

Foreign observers comment on the great strength of the Japanese position at Chaoyang. Page 9.

War preparations at Mukden are said to be reminiscent of Paris in August, 1914. News is strictly censored. Page 9.

General.

In the Sydney Test match Australia made 433 in their first innings. England replied with 150 for 2 wickets (Stutcliffe and Jardine). Page 9.

General Smuts and Hertzog have agreed to form a coalition government in South Africa. Page 9.

Sir Malcolm Campbell has ended his present series of speed trials at Daytona. The Blue Bird is being sent back to England. Page 9.

The death is announced of Col. Watts Morgan, War veteran and Labour M.P. Page 9.

from the files.

LOOKING BACK 75 YEARS

The veracity of this Journal having on three recent occasions been impugned, we lost no more time in settling ourselves right with the community. We should have acquitted ourselves of this duty simultaneously with the appearance of the charges, but, that our limited columns were occupied by matter, which we ventured to deem more interesting than important.

When public affairs are conducted, especially as regards money matters, with the secrecy which so conspicuously marks the policy of our Colonial Government, we, for our part, cannot refrain suspecting, that such secrecy is assumed as a mask for equivocal expenditure.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, Feb. 25, 1933.

LOOKING BACK 50 YEARS

The Poultry Show was meagre, and I should imagine will not be repeated. It was a novelty last year, and consequently evoked some interest. This year nearly all the pens provided stood empty. I was sorry to see it so, because when the movement was started, in common with others, supposed it would lead to improvement in the breeding of poultry. If no more than a dozen entries can be secured failure must be confessed.—*Hong Kong Daily Press* Feb. 23, 1933.

Looking Back 25 Years

It is reported, on good authority, that the French military authorities have conducted a series of highly successful experiments with a new weapon designed to destroy airships. A specially constructed gun, it is stated, is able to throw a shell of a new type nearly a mile into the air. The head of the shell ignites immediately on leaving the gun, and remains alight throughout its course, with the result that if it pierces, or even comes into close proximity to, the envelope of the airship, an explosion of the gas equivalent to the annihilation of the airship and its crew, is bound to ensue.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, Feb. 23, 1933.

JAPANESE DELEGATES WALK OUT

The League Accepts Committee of 19 Report

TOKYO GOVERNMENT TO DECIDE RELATIONS WITH GENEVA

MR. MATSUOKA'S FINAL PROTESTS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Geneva, February 24. THE ASSEMBLY OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS ADOPTED THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF NINETEEN. JAPAN ALONE OPPOSING AND SIAM ABSTAINING FROM VOTING.

After the vote had been taken the Japanese delegation, led by Mr. Matsuoka, walked out of the Assembly.

Following a Conference of the Foreign Office and Army and Navy authorities, it is understood that it was decided to continue collaboration with the Disarmament Conference even after withdrawal from the League.

ACCEPTANCE BY CHINA'S DELEGATE

Geneva, February 24. Commending the Committee of Nineteen's report as "a terrible but just indictment of Japanese militarism" avowing that Japan, in flouting the international instruments of peace has isolated herself, Dr. Yen, the Chinese delegate, spoke first when the Assembly of the League met this morning.

He said that the League had emerged revitalised as the instrument of world peace among the Powers.

Japan's usurped connection with the South Manchurian Railway had been a derogation of China's sovereignty and a breach of the Treaties. He described the passage of the Report, exonerating China from the events subsequent to September, 1931, as a verdict of "guilt" against the misguided leaders of Japan. He welcomed the co-operation of America and Russia and concluded that China would vote for the Report, which he accepted without reserve, together with its recommendations.

THE JAPANESE REPLY

Mr. Matsuoka, interviewed by Reuter during the Assembly's interval in the proceedings, said that Japan would make a final appeal to the League not to vote for the Report. When he spoke before the Assembly he announced that Japan was deeply disappointed and unable to accept the Report. He maintained that it pointed to the realities of the Far East. The difficulty of Japan's position amid the unparalleled and appalling situation of China's revolutionary distresses during past 20 years were beyond the imagination of the average Westerner, and Japan had been the greatest sufferer from China's dereliction in her international duties.

Mr. Matsuoka said that China had consistently obstructed Japan's efforts to co-operate and make Manchuria a land of peace. He regretted that the Committee of Nineteen had said nothing of this fact.

He agreed that the League had sincerely endeavoured to settle the dispute in the early stages, but its actions only encouraged the Japanese and the adoption of the Report would give the impression that China had been exonerated from all responsibility and could continue to do Japan with impunity.

He concluded by saying that Japan desired to the utmost to help China and to assist Manchukuo on her feet and thereby establish peace in Eastern Asia. To deny Japan's appeal to the Assembly to give Japan its confidence, on Japan's terms, would be a mistake and he asked that the Report be not adopted.

Mr. Matsuoka was followed by representatives of Canada, Venezuela and Lithuania who are not members of the Committee of Nineteen, but supported the Report. Mr. Riddell (Canada) declared that if the faith of the world in the possibility of a peaceful settlement was destroyed, the security built up on the foundations of a scrupulous respect of international covenants would be undermined.

JAPAN'S DECISION

The vote was then taken. Before walking out, Mr. Matsuoka declared that the Japanese Government were unable to accept the draft report adopted by the Assembly. They would make the utmost efforts to establish peace in the Far East and to maintain and strengthen cordial relations with other nations, but he was obliged to declare that they had now reached the limit of their endeavours to co-operate with the League over the Sino-Japanese dispute. The Japanese Government would proceed with a desire to contribute to human welfare and continue to co-operate in all sincerity in the work dedicated to World Peace.

It is not clear from Mr. Matsuoka's declaration whether Japan means completely to sever connection with the League. The decision will be taken by the Japanese Government. When the Japanese walked out of the Assembly, Mr. Sugimura, the Japanese Under Secretary of the League, who is a League official remained in his place.

RUSSIA'S WATCHING

OPEN WARFARE PREDICTED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Moscow, Feb. 24. The Kremlin is very closely watching Japanese action in Jehol, although it is not considered to be a threat.

It is well aware that some of the Japanese political and military leaders openly stated the necessity of war with Russia in the Japanese Press, and view the Japanese refusal to sign a non-aggression pact as an "alarming circumstance."

The Izvestia, the Government organ, in a leading article, declares that Japanese action will bring a state of open warfare with China and says that the Japanese hoped that the Democratic elections in America would decrease American interest in Manchuria.

But contrarily, the newspaper continues, Japanese-American relations are sharpening, and the present events will bring up the question of whether or not America will allow the Japanese to blockade China.

Soviet "Desire" for Peace. It reiterates the Soviet desire for peace, and emphasizes that the Soviet will not interfere in the struggles of Imperialist nations.

However, the Soviet "Millions" of armed workers will be ready to fight like lions, and sacrifices their lives so that Imperialist nations will never again dare to interfere with a Socialist nation.

SOVIET AIR BASE BURNED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Moscow, Feb. 24. Serious allegations that certain Japanese ordered him to destroy the civil air base at Ushol-sheretzki, Kamchatka and other buildings important to the Soviet, were made by a Japanese named Kaisawa who was arrested in connection with an outbreak of fire at the base on January 19.

As a result of the enquiry, two Militia men, guarding the base, have been accused of arson and the storekeeper of a local State Farm accused of inciting them.

All three are reported to have pleaded "guilty" and alleged that they were instructed by Kaisawa.

AT GENEVA

ANOTHER BIG COMMITTEE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Geneva, Feb. 23. After the vote of the Assembly upon the Report and Recommendations of the Committee of Nineteen, it is understood that a fresh Commission of Twenty-One will be appointed to watch developments in the Far East.

M. Hyman has indicated that he cannot continue as chairman although he is willing that Belgium should be represented on the new Committee.

JAPANESE TAKE KAILU

Strong Chinese Defences At Chaoyang

WAR SCENES AT MUKDEN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tokyo, Feb. 24. A MESSAGE FROM TUNGSHAO states that the Manchukuo forces entered Kailu at noon today.

STRONG LINE OF DEFENCE

PEIPING, Feb. 24. The Chinese forces have established a strong line of defence in front of Chaoyang and the surrounding hills overlooking the valley across which the Japanese advance must come.

Reliable foreign reports state that the Chinese stationed at Chaoyang hold strong positions and if determined they can hold up for a considerable time a very superior attacking force. The Japanese forces must advance across the country, which is well covered by artillery and machine-gun fire.

General Tang Yu Lin also reports that he expects another heavy attack around the Kailu region and thinks that this will be delivered by a big Manchukuo force with which will be mixed a number of Japanese.

HARD FIGHTING

PEIPING, Feb. 24. News from Jehol City states that after three days' bombing of the Chaoyang area the Japanese forces, to the number of 30,000, assisted by 10,000 Manchukuo troops, fiercely attacked Chaoyang. The Chinese troops have withdrawn a number of outlying detachments from the Nanling-Peipiao area, forming a strong line at Chaoyang to meet the attack.

MILITARY CONTROL MUKDEN

TIENSIN, Feb. 24. Foreigners from Mukden declare that scenes in the city are similar to those at Paris in August 1914. Mukden is like a war camp and the Japanese are pushing war preparations forward with all the energy at their command.

Lorries and motor-cars belonging to foreigners are being commandeered, and paid for on a basis of five yen daily.

The situation is wholly under control of the Japanese military, who have taken over the South Manchurian Daily News.

CAUTION URGED

Tokyo, Feb. 24. While naturally apprehensive lest the Jehol operations should precipitate disturbances in North China, endangering Japanese lives, the Japanese military authorities have plainly indicated that the garrisons at Peiping and Tientsin have been warned to act strictly on the defensive and avoid any aggravation of the situation.

POSITION OF BRITISH SUBJECTS

London, Feb. 24. The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, was asked in the House of Commons whether, in view of the situation in Jehol, he has given orders for the evacuation of all Britons from the Province, and also whether in view of the imminence of the Japanese invasion of North China, he has considered the advisability of ordering the withdrawal of all Britons from outlying districts within Chihli and their concentration at either Peiping or Tientsin.

In reply, the Foreign Secretary pointed out that he had no power to order British subjects to withdraw. He could only offer them advice and the situation could best be judged locally by the British Minister and the Consular Officers who had discretion to advise withdrawal from disturbed and threatened areas at any desirable moment.

KANSU GOVERNOR'S RESIGNATION REJECTED

NANKING, Feb. 23. THE Executive Yuan has issued an order rejecting the resignation of Shao Li Tze, the Governor of Kansu, who was complimented by the Central Government for his past record and instructed to return to his post.

CHINA REJECTS DEMAND

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Feb. 24. China has decided to flatly reject the Japanese demand for the withdrawal of Chinese regular troops from Jehol.

THE TRADE IN ARMAMENTS

LORD LYTTON'S BITTER COMPLAINT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THERE are no steps which Britain can take of her own accord. We must seek the consent of the other members of the League before acting," declared Lord Lytton during an interview with the Daily Herald. There is, however, nothing to stop us taking the initiative and calling for an international agreement.

"It is incredible that any State which is a member of the League of Nations should supply arms to either party in any quarrel which is sub judice of the League. If this is being done it is plainly desirable that an Article should be added to the League Covenant, forbidding the export of arms by Members to any other member who is being judged by the League. The League Party are quite right to submit that demands for armaments should be refused Japan."

"On the other hand why should we refuse to export arms if other countries continue to do so?" asked Lord Lytton.

"If there is going to be a trade in weapons of war, why should it be carried on at our expense? Japan has a very strong case on merits, but no case at all for the action she has taken."

Change of Tokyo Government Needed.

Citing the fact that the League found Greece wrong after the Greco-Bulgarian war and that the Greeks turned out the Government and substituted one with a policy, Lord Lytton added that it is hoped, by all friends of Japan, (which is governed virtually by military rule) that a similar action may be taken in that country.

"Peace is still possible with a satisfactory solution for both sides. The only solution is the complete demilitarisation of the district and the establishment of an efficient Police Force with foreign officers sufficient to keep order."

WHAT ARE MUNITIONS OF WAR?

LONDON, Feb. 24. Referring to the question of the prohibition of the export of arms, the Daily Express in a leading article asks what there is to prevent either China or Japan buying munitions from Britain through the medium of a third country, and how are "munitions" to be defined?

"What about the ships which carry troops, and railway materials, oil, rubber, steel, chemicals, food, textiles, boots, medical remedies and all the necessities for warfare? Are these to be classed under the same schedule?" the article asks.

If it is intended to prohibit them, it amounts to an economic boycott," the paper states.

JAPAN'S MESSAGE TO TANG-YU LIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Feb. 24. "Should General Tang Yu Lin and his troops, as well as the other anti-Manchukuo forces, surrender to the Manchukuo, they will be dealt with leniently," says the Japanese Note to China.

The threat to use force to expel the Chinese regulars if they do not comply is implied rather than explicit.

The memorandum says that if the troops of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang and the other anti-Manchukuo leaders "persist in taking positive action, it will be difficult to guarantee that the fighting will not spread into North China."

NANLING-PEIPO RAILWAY CUT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

After two days' fighting, it appears that the Chinese have evacuated the junction town of Peipiao and reformed a line north of the town.

Chinese volunteers are reported to have cut the railway between Nanling and Peipiao to impede Japanese reinforcements.

STRUGGLE IN BLIZZARD

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tokyo, Feb. 24. In a blinding snowstorm and with the mercury ten degrees below zero, the Japanese Sixth Division and the Fourth Cavalry Brigade marched from Tungshao yesterday and clashed and dispersed a body of Chinese irregulars 20 miles south-west of Tungshao.

The Japanese forces continued to advance after the engagement.

THE SOUTH AFRICA COALITION

SMUTS AND HERTZOG GO "FIFTY-FIFTY"

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CAPETOWN, Feb. 23. THE political upheaval in South Africa has had a somewhat unexpected result, a coalition agreement having been tentatively reached between General Hertzog, the Premier, and General Smuts, the Leader of the Opposition.

The agreement is presumably the result of a breakdown of negotiations between General Smuts and Mr. Tielman Roos.

Under the arrangement entered into between the two political leaders, General Hertzog will retain the position of Prime Minister and General Smuts will be allotted an important portfolio in his Cabinet.

The agreement provides for full maintenance of South African membership of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

Parliament will probably be dissolved next week and a general election, with a view to the formation of a semi-National Government, will be called for May.

Honours Even.

CAPETOWN, Feb. 24. The coalition agreement published yesterday provides that the followers of General Hertzog and those of General Smuts shall have six Cabinet posts each.

BERLIN COMMUNIST PARTY

HEADQUARTERS CLOSED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Feb. 24. KARL Liebknecht house, the headquarters of the Communist Party, has been closed "until further notice" on the ground that treasonable leaflets are published there.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON PRICES

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Feb. 24. FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

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AEROPLANES FOR HUNGARY

BRITAIN TO TAKE NO ACTION.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Feb. 23. THE Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, was questioned in the House of Commons regarding reports alleging that 32 military aeroplanes were recently flown from Italy to Hungary and there taken to pieces and hidden.

He replied that he had seen these statements, of which a semi-official denial had been issued by the Hungarian Government.

In this instance, therefore, he did not consider any special action was called for on the part of the British Government.

NOT SOUTH OF THE GREAT WALL!

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. Mr. Debuschi, the Japanese Ambassador, instructed from Tokyo, has informed the Secretary of State, Mr. Henry L. Stimson, that Japan does not intend to move her troops south of the Great Wall of China, unless there is "provocation" by the Chinese.

INVESTITURE BY H.M. THE KING

AWARDS TO FIVE GALLANT MINERS.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Feb. 23. H.M. THE King held a second investiture at Buckingham Palace to-day. Among the recipients of honours were five miners who received recognition for their bravery at the Bentley Colliery disaster last year.

The King also handed to Colonel Watkins the Polar Medal awarded to him and also to Mr. H. G. Watkins, leader of the British Arctic Air Route Expedition, who was drowned last year in Greenland.

Mr. Augustine Courtlaud was also decorated with the Polar Medal.

ENGLAND'S BIG TASK AT SYDNEY

AUSTRALIA RUN UP TOTAL OF 435: ENGLAND 159 FOR 2 WICKETS

FINE BATTING BY SUTCLIFFE AND JARDINE

At the close of play yesterday Australia's score stood at 435, and England had replied with 159 for two wickets. Australia had made a typical recovery after a bad beginning, three of the best batsmen having fallen for only 64 runs. Six successive batsmen made over 40, but no one topped the century. Darling being highest scorer with 85. Larwood took four wickets for 98 and Verity 3 for 62. Allen appears to have bowled extremely well, although without much luck.

England having lost two good wickets for 159, the match is therefore extraordinarily open. Jardine was the first to leave after making 18. Although the visitors have already won three out of the five matches and recovered the "Ashes," the game is arousing the greatest interest, and England is making a strong bid to win equality with Australia in the Test Series. At present Australia has 51 victories to her credit, and England 50.

THE KANGAROO'S TAIL WAGS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Sydney, February 24. About 7,000 spectators were present when Darling (66) and Oldfield (13) left the pavilion to carry on Australia's first innings. The score stood at 296 for five. It was a glorious day with bright sunshine and the wicket was in good condition. Allen and Larwood were the bowlers, and the latter was using the leg-theory. The third hundred was signalled after a similar number of minutes played. Runs came steadily until Darling in attempting to drive Verity was clean bowled. He had made 85, his innings being notable for powerful cutting. He hit eight fours and took 148 minutes to collect his runs.

Lee, the newcomer to the Australian side, hit out fiercely but was caught by Jardine at extra cover off Verity after making 42 runs in 35 minutes, including seven boundary hits. The score stood at 383 for 7.

Oldfield continued to bat steadily and reached his 50 after 131 minutes at the wicket. O'Reilly was the new man and the pair were decidedly subdued. At lunch time the score stood at 411 for 7, Oldfield 51 and O'Reilly 15.

Paynter's Smart Work.

When the game was resumed the spectators had increased to 10,000. The two fast bowlers, Allen and Larwood, were entrusted with the attack. Only three runs were added when a smart return from Paynter at mid-off broke the wicket while Oldfield was out of his ground. The Australian wicket-keeper had batted for 138 minutes for his 52, scoring 4 fours. It was a patient and most useful innings for his side and quite without a chance. 414 for 8.

O'Reilly hit up 19 before being bowled by Allen. 430 for 9. Five runs later Larwood bowled Ironmonger for a single, Alexander being 17 not out.

England's Cautious Start.

Jardine and Sutcliffe opened England's innings, Alexander and McCabe being the bowlers. The batsmen started off steadily, on an easy wicket. Jardine gave two very difficult chances when his score was 8 and again when 9. He subsequently complained that Alexander, the Australian fast bowler, was scratching up the wicket by over-running onto the pitch. The demonstration by the crowd was in marked contrast with the silence when Woodfull objected to Allen on the ground that he was doing the same thing, in the first Test match. Jardine lost his wicket, being caught by Oldfield, off O'Reilly, when the score stood at 31 out of which he had made 18.

Hammond took his place and the 50 was hoisted after 57 minutes.

Sutcliffe who was in his most restrained mood, had made only 13 and Hammond 23. When the score stood at 93 runs for one wicket, tea was taken.

Sutcliffe and Hammond.

The crowd numbered 30,000 when, after the interval, the game was resumed. O'Reilly and Alexander being the bowlers. Sutcliffe and Hammond lived up to this stage, the partnership realising 50 in 39 minutes and 100 in 86 minutes. Hammond drove Ironmonger past cover, to the boundary to complete his 50 in 73 minutes, scoring a total of 8 fours. Sutcliffe reached his fifty in 140 minutes. O'Reilly, who had been given a rest, took the ball from Alexander, and with his first delivery had Sutcliffe caught by Richardson at square leg for 56.

153 for 2. Sutcliffe gave a chanceless display. He took no risks but his cutting and glancing were delightful. He was at the wickets for 153 minutes and hit 4 fours.

Larwood was sent in to play out time in the fading light, and he and Hammond were together when stumps were drawn. Hammond gave a delightful all-round display, his 72 runs having taken him a minute short of three hours.

Scores:—

Australia—1st Innings.

W. M. Woodfull, b Larwood 14
V. Y. Richardson, o Jardine, b Larwood..... 0
D. G. Bradman, b Larwood 48
L. P. O'Brien, o Larwood, b Voce..... 61
S. J. McCabe, o Hammond, b Verity..... 73
L. Darling, b Verity..... 78
W. A. Oldfield, run out..... 62
P. R. Lee, o Jardine, b Verity..... 42
W. J. O'Reilly, b Allen..... 15
H. Alexander, not out..... 17
H. Ironmonger, b Larwood..... 1
Extras..... 23
Total..... 435

Fall of the wickets:—1 for 0; 2 for 59; 3 for 64; 4 for 163; 5 for 244; 6 for 328; 7 for 383; 8 for 414; 9 for 430; 10 for 435.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.
Larwood..... 32.2.10 08.4
Voce..... 24.4.0 80.1
Allen..... 25.1.128.1
Verity..... 17.3.62.3
Hammond..... 8.0.39.0
Wyatt..... 2.0.12.0

England—1st Innings.

Sutcliffe, o Richardson, b O'Reilly..... 56
D. R. Jardine, o Oldfield, b O'Reilly..... 18
Hammond, not out..... 72
Larwood, not out..... 5
Extras..... 8
Total (for 2 wickets)..... 159

CHIEF JUSTICE OF NIGERIA

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Feb. 23. MR. A. F. C. WEBBER, Puisne Judge of Nigeria, has been appointed Chief Justice of Sierra Leone, in succession to Sir Merwyn Tew, retired.

BRITAIN'S COASTGUARDS

FINE RECORD IN 1932.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Feb. 23. DURING 1932, Coastguards took life-saving action in the case of 580 vessels reported in distress off the coasts of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

In the same period, 80 vessels observed to be steaming into danger were warned by signals and enabled to alter their course.

ENGLISH LEAGUE FOOTBALL

WINS FOR NORWICH AND BLACKBURN.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Feb. 23. AT BLACKBURN, in the First Division of the English League, Blackburn Rovers defeated Manchester City by the only goal scored in the Third Division, Norwich City defeated Aldershot by three goals to two.

QUEEN MARY AT INDUSTRIES FAIR

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Feb. 23. H.M. THE Queen paid a second long visit to the British Industries Fair to-day. She went to the Olympia section and was accompanied by the Duke and Duchess of York.

H. K. C. C. TENNIS TOURNAMENT

EX-INTERPORT PAIR BEATEN

LEONARD AND HACHUMA SPRING SURPRISE

M. W. LO JOINS LAST EIGHT

(BY SALADIN)

Rivalry for honours in the open championships is becoming keener day by day as the tournament progresses. There have been several upsets in the Singles event, and yesterday in the open doubles, which has not yet reached an advanced stage, Leonard and Hachuma sprang a surprise on Ho Ka Lau and Yew Man Kit by defeating the ex-interport pair in straight sets in the first round. The Craginower representatives found their form at the commencement and maintained a consistent aggressiveness throughout with such effect that their more experienced opponents failed to settle down to their usual game.

The winners adopted daring tactics and by dint of enterprising play, featured by hard hitting from the base-line, they kept the Chinese mainly on the defensive. Yew Man Kit played a disappointing game, giving one of his poorest exhibitions since he joined the tournament several years ago. Ho Ka Lau did not seem to have fully recovered from his second illness this season, but offered some kind of opposition in what turned out to be a losing game for his pair. Leonard and Hachuma now meet F. N. Wong and Ho Hing Kan in the second round.

Chinese Doubles Tie.

In an all-round Chinese tie Ng Sze Kwong and Tsui Wai Pui defeated W. C. Hung and C. C. Chiu in straight sets. The ex-champion showed considerable improvement on his previous performances this season, delighting the gallery with a fine exhibition of net play, his smashing being particularly effective. Tsui Wai Pui also played well, his hard hitting contributing much towards his side's success.

STAND COURT MATCHES

The first match to be played on the Stand Court this season has been fixed for Tuesday, and the schedule for next week is as follows:—

Tuesday.

Tam Yoc Fong v. M. W. Lo.

Wednesday.

E. C. Fincher v. D. H. Hazell or Ho Ka Lau.

Thursday.

Tsui Wai Pui v. S. A. Rumjahn.

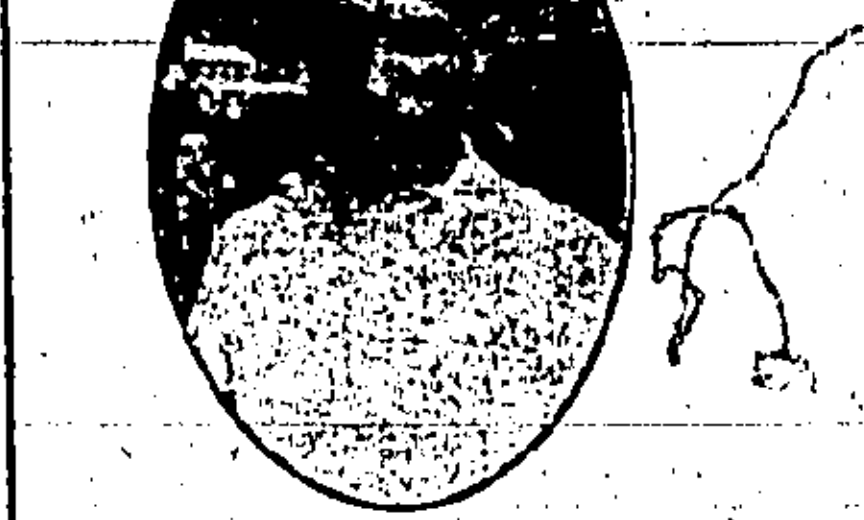
Play on the whole was fast, and snappy exchanges made the match interesting to watch. The winners played with confidence, showed good understanding and forced the pace which became a trifle too fast for the losers, who, however, put up a stern fight for the second set. Hung showed up to advantage at this stage, sending over

many pretty winning shots which checked his confident opponents. His forehand driving and volleying were nicely executed and pretty to watch. Chiu did not give his partner sufficient support, and the winners concentrated their attack on him.

Goldman and Fincher, last year's runners-up, had matters much their own way against Monaghan and Holmes in the second round, while Wright and Gamble are to be congratulated on their success in entering the third round where they meet Fincher and Goldman.

M. W. Lo Progresses.

Without any difficulty, M. W. Lo beat F. N. Wong in the third round, conceding only one game to his opponent. He meets Tam Yoc Fong for the right to enter the semi-final.



M. W. Lo, who enters the last eight by beating F. N. Wong in the third round.

In Tak Cheuk also entered the fourth round by eliminating D. S. Green in straight sets. He will now meet Cassumbhoy to decide who should qualify for the semi-final.

Open Singles Survivors.

With the exception of two places, the last eight positions have now been filled: the successful survivors being:—

- (1) Tsui Wai Pui.
- (2) S. A. Rumjahn.
- (3) E. C. Fincher or S. W. Liang.
- (4) Ho Ka Lau or D. H. Hazell.
- (5) Tam Yoc Fong.
- (6) M. W. Lo.
- (7) In Tak Cheuk.
- (8) J. A. Cassumbhoy.

Yesterday's Results.

The detailed scores of yesterday's matches follow:—

Open Singles.

3RD ROUND.

In Tak Cheuk beat D. S. Green 6-1, 6-4.

M. W. Lo beat F. Wong 6-1, 6-0.

Open Doubles.

L. Goldman and E. C. Fincher beat T. C. Monaghan and C. E. Holmes 6-0, 6-2.

Ng Sze Kwong and Tsui Wai Pui beat W. C. Hung and C. C. Chiu 6-3, 6-4.

J. W. Leonard and Y. Hachuma beat Ho Ka Lau and Yew Man Kit 6-1, 6-4.

G. Gamble and C. A. Wright beat F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang 6-4, 6-4.

LOCAL FOOTBALL

Sixteen Matches Down For To-day

BIG ATTRACTION ON SUNDAY

A full programme of League matches has been arranged for this afternoon, no less than sixteen matches in the three Divisions being down for decision. St. Joseph's, after their rather disappointing visit to Manila, will return to the local League, and will have to go all out to stop the powerful Lincolns. However, although the Lincolns are generally considered to be a very strong team, the form of their players is very uncertain as was evidenced by their surprising defeat last week by Revere, a comparatively weak team. On the other hand, the League record of St. Joseph's compares well with that of the soldiers, and should they beat them this afternoon, which they probably will, they would become serious contenders for runners-up of the Championship.

Kowloon will have to improve a great deal if they are to avert another defeat. They are to meet the Club de Revere, who, by their victory over the Lincolns last week, should have no doubt about their superiority.

The Navy should beat the Chinese Athletic, who are greatly handicapped by the absence of several of their regular players, while the Artillery, at present leaders of the Championship, should have no difficulty in accounting for the Club.

Most of the Junior matches are more or less one-sided, the only attractive game being probably the South China v. St. Joseph's tie in the Third Division.

The programme is as follows:—

TODAY.

Division I.

Navy v. Athletic.
St. Joseph's v. Lincolns.
Club de Revere v. Artillery.
Revere v. Kowloon.

Division II.

Tsung Tsui v. Ewo.
Borderers v. Eastern.
Lincolns v. Navy.
S. China v. Club.
St. Joseph's v. Artillery.
Kowloon v. Athletic.

Division III.

St. Joseph's v. S. China.
Lincolns v. University.
Athletic v. Air Force.
Revere v. Tai Koo.
K. Engineers v. Radio.
Service Corps v. Signals.

SUNDAY.

Borderers v. South China.

GOLF

STARTING TIME FOR FANLING

FEBRUARY 26

Old Course.

- 9.25 a.m. D. Forbes and K. S. Morrison.
9.32 " C. H. Bradley and C. B. Robertson.
9.36 " J. S. Dykes and Major Wren.
9.40 " G. A. Leiper and D. J. Mackie.
9.44 " F. C. Mudie and P. S. Grant.
9.48 " Comdr. G. F. Hole and R. K. Valentine.
9.52 " O. Eager and H. C. Hopkins.
9.56 " E. Davidson and M. H. Turner.
10.00 " H. G. Wallington and H. N. Williamson.
10.04 " D. J. Christie and R. C. Law.
10.08 " R. A. Rodgers and A. E. Gerondal.
10.12 " J. A. R. Selby and Merry or Dovey.
10.16 " J. C. Miller and D. S. Robb.
10.20 " W. N. A. Smalley and H. Hampton.
10.24 " J. F. Robinson and J. M. Edie.
10.28 " N. K. Littlejohn and T. C. Monaghan.
10.32 " A. C. I. Bowker and J. R. Collia.
10.36 " G. H. Wilson and J. Coulthart.
10.40 " G. E. R. Divett and H. S. V. Mossop.
10.44 " B. D. Evans and R. W. Tappin.
10.48 " W. Mulcahy and D. J. Valentine.
10.52 " L. A. Calcraft and H. Spicer.
10.56 " R. C. Webb and J. Mac Knight.
11.00 " M. N. Cochrane and D. S. Hurley.
11.04 " A. T. Lay and A. K. Mackenzie.
11.08 " A. E. Lissaman and I. H. Geare.
11.12 " G. T. May and J. G. Allison.
11.16 " F. Syme Thomson and W. J. Roberts.
11.20 " G. W. Talmie and J. C. Dunbar.
11.24 " H. H. Beddow and G. W. Rees.

New Course.

- 9.32 a.m. Mrs. Wren and Major Grellier.
9.40 " Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Gerondal.
9.48 " Miss Munro and Mrs. Valentine.
9.56 " J. A. Shaw and H. F. Sommers.
10.04 " Mrs. Mackie and Mrs. Mackenzie.
10.12 " Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Sommers.

THE CRICKET CRISIS

A UNITED STATES VIEW

"Your cricket game is coming right away along now," a New York sportsman said encouragingly when asked what he thought of our new Imperial crisis.

"We used to hear," he said, "that this cricket was just a lot of parlor tricks for cake-eaters, but this body-shooting and laying-out stuff, and the headman going into a huddle over it, is more like games in our own home towns and seats of learning. You'll soon be burning down the cricket wickets at the end of the game, just as our Princeton boys burned down the Harvard goalposts soon as they beat them at football."

"I see in Australia, they've got our roster system going, with the crowd ragging the players to put them off their play, just as our rooters get the crowd roaring and jeering in a witty way at our baseball champs. Why should participation in a game be limited only to the players on the field? It isn't in our games, and the crowd have a better time. This barking in Australia is all right, and you'll have it here soon, and a good thing too."

He thought that the United States might take to cricket now. Instead of the present homicidal characteristics of cricket leading to serious breaches between nations he thought that they would tend to bring about an international of "regular fellows" in sport throughout the world.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

VOLUNTEERS v. ROYAL NAVY TO-DAY

A game between the Volunteers and the Navy has been arranged for 4.30 to-day on Sockanpoo ground. This has been rather hastily got up to replace the game against the Army cancelled on account of the R.A.F. XV being in quarantine.

CONTINENTAL LETTER

MILITIA SYSTEM FOR EUROPE? A SECOND BATTLESHIP INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS FOR MOTOR TRANSPORT, JOSEF VON STERNBERG IN RUSSIA.

GENEVA

Geneva, Feb. 17.—The political committee of the Disarmament Conference continued to-day its debate on the French project for the introduction of a uniform army system throughout Europe based on a short-term service and a limitation of the effectives.

The debate was opened by the French representative M. Pierre Cot who insisted that the militia system meets the exigencies of the disarmament problem and, replying to the earlier objections of the German representative Nodolny, insisted that, if the new system was introduced progressively, Nodolny's misgiving regarding the large French reserves would be allayed.

M. Cot added however that as regards France, her colonial troops must be exempted from such a settlement because a professional army alone was able to deal with colonial problems.

Dutch Foreign Minister Balaerts van Bloekland, Hungarian representative General Tanczos, and Soviet Foreign Commissary Litvinov, expressed agreement with the French project, subject to certain reservation, while Herr Nodolny again emphasized that the Reich would adopt an attitude of watchful waiting until a harmony was achieved on the question of aggressive weapons, finally voicing doubts as to whether disarmament could be achieved merely by unifying the army system.

PARIS

Constitutional Reform in France.

Paris, Feb. 17.—Thorough constitutional reforms as the only cure for the profound crisis which is besetting France were to-day advocated by former Premier, M. Tardieu in L'Illustration.

M. Tardieu, who on former occasions aired similar plans and was consequently by his opponents denounced for his pains as an enemy of the people expresses strong resentment at these allegations and insists that, when the people are as at present seized by a deep unrest, there are only two alternatives for remedying matters: force or reforms.

Proceeding in his article M. Tardieu rejects the theory of force and outlines his project for parliamentary reforms which proposes to deprive the deputies of most of their privileges and to authorize the President to dissolve a refractory Chamber. He ends with the statement that France has reached the cross-roads and that her destiny depends upon which road is ultimately chosen, as matters have already reached that stage where stagnation is no longer possible and the Left parties are unable to form a stable government.

Second Battleship.

Paris, Feb. 17.—A bill has been submitted to the Chamber proposing the construction of a second battleship of 24,000 tons. The bill suggests that this might be given precedence in construction by retaining in its favour part of the cruiser-building programme which comprises four cruisers of 7,500 tons each.

Postal Strike.

Paris, Feb. 18.—A strike to last just one hour in protest against the civil service salary reductions contemplated by the Government as part of its financial bills, was decided upon by the union of postal officials for Monday.

However, the debate in the Senate on the Government's financial bills is progressing smoothly and there is now every hope for a compromise being reached between the Senate and the Chamber which would make a fresh debate on the bill in the Chamber unnecessary and remove for the time being the danger threatening the existence of the Deladier Cabinet.

Neunkirchen Explosion.

Paris, Feb. 18.—The Chamber to-day voted an amount of 600,000 francs as a contribution to the relief work for the victims of the explosion at Neunkirchen in the Sarre district.

BERLIN

Germany and Militia Scheme.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The vast majority of the German papers express satisfaction at the statement made yesterday in the main-committee of the Disarmament Conference by German delegate Nodolny when, in commenting on the French proposal for the abolition of the so-called professional armies in favour of the militia system with a short term of service, he pointed out that the present system of the Reichwehr with its prolonged period of service had been forced upon Germany as a measure of disarmament in 1919 by the same powers which now demand the Reich's return to the short-service system. The papers

echo Ambassador Nodolny's declaration that Germany is unable to discuss the French suggestions before she has been given a guarantee that the proposed new army system really and irrevocably constituted an ideal, just and permanent solution. Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung together with other papers takes the view that it comes rather surprising to demand that Germany after having laboriously built up the Reichwehr should now destroy the work of 14 years simply because some people had changed their opinion as to the relative merits of the various military systems.

International Congress for Motor Transport.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The motorists assembled here for the big Berlin motor show are taking a keen interest in the deliberations of the International Congress for Motor Transport which is being held here just now. At this congress the Italian and British delegates to-day outlined the fight between railway and road transport in their respective countries and stressed the fact that this rivalry had resulted in improvements in both methods. The French delegate expressed the opinion that the railways would always deal with the bulk of the traffic despite the manifold advantages of road-transport. The American representative called for a worldwide effort of the motorists in their respective countries to reduce the load of taxation of cars as this constituted a brake on the wheels of economic progress.

Short Term Credits Agreement.

Berlin, February 17.—The successful conclusion of the negotiations for frozen short-term credits is confirmed by the Reichsbank in a statement issued this evening. According to this source, the rate of interest has been lowered by one half per cent on the average, while the debtors agree to a further repayment of 5 per cent of the loans. The final agreement, which comes into force on March 1, for a duration of one year offers the creditors in exchange for short-term claims long-term Government bonds which are to be issued in every foreign currency.

KIEL

Kiel, February 18.—The cadet training cruiser "Koeln" which is en route to the Far East, is expected to arrive at Sabang on Monday, February 20.

BRUSSELS

Cabinet Withdraws Resignation.

Brussels, Feb. 17.—In defence to the King's request the Cabinet has now definitely withdrawn its resignation which it handed in on Wednesday after the Chamber had voted against the Government on a (Continued on next column)

DEATH OF THE WORLD'S OLDEST JOCKEY

MAN WHO SCORNE THE MODERN STYLE OF RIDING

London.—Mr. John Faulkner, the world's oldest jockey, died at his home at Appleford, Berkshire, at the age of 104.

He was born on March 12, 1829, and was associated with horses from his earliest days, for his father was a mail-coach driver. At the age of 12 he became a stable boy at Epsom.

Among the hundreds of races in which he rode were the City and Suburban, the Great Metropolitan, and the Cesarewitch. At 18 he rode the first winner of the City Bowl at Salisbury, and incidentally, 74 years later, saw his grandson gain first place in the same race.

His first accident occurred in almost his first race, when he collided with a sailor who had wandered on to the course at Epsom. The sailor was killed. His last mishap was at the age of 102, when he fell from a mule.

Mr. Faulkner never made a bet in his life, because, he said, he never believed in it.

He was a severe critic of the modern style of riding, and at the Ascot meeting in 1927 he was so disgusted by the crouching attitude of the jockeys that he left after the first race.

"When I rode in the 50's," he used to say, "jockeys rode like men whereas now they ride standing in the stirrups and crouching like monkeys."

Mr. Faulkner was married twice, and he was the father of 32 children.

minor issue.

MOSCOW

Josef Von Sternberg in Russia.

Moscow, February 18.—The well-known film director Josef Von Sternberg will, it was announced to-day, shortly arrive here for a round trip through the Soviet-Union for the purpose of studying the Soviet film production.

Moscow, February 17.—The number of cinemas throughout the Soviet-Union increased from 7,900 in 1927 to 39,000 in 1929, according to official data. It is estimated that every adult frequented the cinema on the average ten times during the last year.—Transocean Kuomint.



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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1933.
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ON Saturday 18th, Monday 20th, Tuesday 21st, and Wednesday 22nd February, the first bell will be rung at 11 a.m., and the first race will be run at 11.30 a.m. On Saturday, the 26th February, the first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m.

The tiffin interval will be taken after the fifth race on the first four days.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax—or \$40.00 including tax for the Meeting (ladies \$5.00 and \$20.00 respectively), are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for all debts, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building (Tel. 27794), will close at 10 a.m. on the first four days, and at 12.30 p.m. on the fifth day.

A limited number of Tiffins will be obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy, Telephone No. 21920.

No no pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$4.00 per day including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac men etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

SERVANTS' PASSES

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to the Secretary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building.

Employers are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes.

Servants are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties, but must remain in their employers' stands.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' passes in their possession will forfeit the same and will be removed from the enclosure.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 6th February, 1933. [244]

HONG KONG TELEPHONE CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THE HONG KONG TELEPHONE CO., LTD., will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1933, at the BOARD ROOM of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors, for the financial year ended 31st December, 1932, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th March to the 22nd March, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1933.

By Order of the Board,

W. L. McKENZIE,
Secretary.

14, Des Voeux Road, Central,
Hong Kong. [417]

ADVERTISEMENTS.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOON OF HILDA MAHON LINTOTT, LATE OF BARRAM GLENN CLAYTON IRVING, IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, ENGLAND, MARRIED WOMAN, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an Order limiting the time for Creditors and others to send in their claims against the above Estate to the 10th DAY OF MARCH, 1933.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their Claims to the Undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 17th day of February, 1933.

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
Solicitors for the Executor,
Princes Building,
100 House Street,
Hong Kong. [487]

LOST.

It is hereby notified that original Bill of Lading No. 13 covering—

J.M. — 10 casks Japanese Sake

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ex a.s. "Akita Maru" arrived on 14th February, 1933 has been lost, and is hereby declared null and void.

J. MATSUMOTO & CO.,

157, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, 20th February, 1933. [477]

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT AND LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th floor, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report, and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th day of February, 1933, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,

Managing Director.

Hong Kong, 14th February, 1933. [497]

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If a landing had to be made by parachute on ground 9,000ft. or 10,000ft. high, an exceptionally large canopy would be needed if the parachutist was to get down without injury.

Actually, the diameter of the canopies of the Mount Everest Expedition parachutes has been increased by 5ft. over the standard G.Q. canopies.

Four parachutes have been ordered by the Expedition. They are of the "free" type, operated in the air by the pulling of a rip cord and a small pilot parachute starts the opening of the large canopy.

Trial flights have been made with the Expedition aircraft during the last few days, and heights of 24,000ft. and 35,000ft. have been attained.

The engine is a Bristol air-cooled type, a make which was also used by Flight Lieutenant Uwins when he attained the world's altitude record in any part of the house (including the one dollar seats) can be reserved.

CHURCH NOTES

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, Hong Kong.
FEBRUARY 25, 1933.—
QUINGUAGESIMA SUNDAY
OBSERVED AS DIOCESAN SUNDAY.

Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church), 8 a.m.
Children's Service, 10 a.m.
Matins and Sermon, 11 a.m.
Preacher:—Rev. N. V. Halward.
Evening, 6.30 p.m.
Preacher:—Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan, s.c.p.

Week Day Services.
Matins, Daily, 8.0 a.m.
Intercessions for the Sick, Wednesday, 10.15 a.m.
Holy Communion, Thursday, 7.45 a.m.

Choir Practice, Friday, 8.30 p.m.

Other Notices.
March 1st, ASH WEDNESDAY.
7.45 a.m. Holy Communion.
9.00 a.m. Matins.
10.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
5.30 p.m. Special Service in Lady Chapel.
Speaker:—Dr. K. H. Utley.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, Wanchai.
(Opposite Royal Naval Hospital, Queen's Road, East).
The following are the forthcoming Services to be held at the Methodist Church.
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1933.—
Morning Service, 10.15 a.m.
Preacher:—Rev. J. Courtenay Jacobs.
Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Preacher:—Captain A. J. Holland.
Friday, Mar. 3th.
Weekly Prayer Meeting, 7.30 p.m.

SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS' HOME, Wanchai.
29, Hennessy Road.

SATURDAY (25th)—A "RAMBLE", leaving the Home, 2 p.m.

SUNDAY (26th), 8.15 p.m.—Christian Social Hour.

MONDAY (27th)—Badminton Club Meet.

Ladies' Church Aid Society Meet, 3 p.m.

TUESDAY (28th), 8 p.m.—Fellowship Meeting.

WEDNESDAY (Mar. 1st)—A "SOCIAL" evening, commencing, 8.30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

THURSDAY (Mar. 2nd)—Badminton Club Meet.

FRIDAY (Mar. 3rd)—A "RAMBLE", leaving the Home, 2 p.m.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

FIRST EXTRA RACE MEETING.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the First Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 4th MARCH, 1933 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on MONDAY, 27th FEBRUARY, 1933.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

H. K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

[ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COL. L. G. BIRD, D.S.O., D.R.E.]

1.—Parades.

(a) *Battery.*
Thursday, March 2, the Battery will parade at Headquarters at 3.30 p.m.

(b) *Engineer Company.*
Monday, Feb. 27, Miniature Range.

Sunday, March 12, Casuals, Stonecutters.

Thursday, March 9, D.L. Instruction, Wellington Barracks.

Sunday, March 12, Company Shoot, Peak Range.

Camp. Copies of group photo may be obtained from the Ming Yuen Studio.

(c) *Corps Signals.*
Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

(d) *Armoured Car Section.*
The first of a series of lectures on the Motor Engine will be held at Headquarters on Monday, Feb. 27, at 5.30 p.m. The whole Section is expected to attend as these lectures are of great importance.

(e) *Scottish Company.*
Parade on Thursday, March 2, at 5.30 p.m.

No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon Dock under 2nd Lieut. T. P. Sanderson.

No. 7 Platoon at Headquarters under 2nd Lieut. A. W. Brown.

Revolver Instruction for Gun Numbers.

(f) *Portuguese Company.*
Parade at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 28, for Squad and Arms Drill in preparation for G.O.C.'s inspection. Two Regular Instructors will be in attendance.

Company Orderly Officer for the week ending Sunday, March 5, Lieut. J. V. V. Remedios.

Peak Range.—This Range will be available for any Members of the Company who wish to make use of it on Sunday, Feb. 26.

Range Officer—Lieut. J. V. V. Dos Remedios.

Last tram up 8.30 a.m. Firing will commence at 9 a.m.

Classification Tests—Stonecutters' Range.

All ranks are reminded that there are now only two dates on which to classify for efficiency.

Musketry and Lewis Gun Classification Test will be fired on March 5 and March 19.

March 5.—Range Officer—Lieut. H. J. Silva.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. and Kowloon Police Pier at 8.40 a.m.

Company Competition will be fired off in conjunction with Classification Test on this date only.

Platoon Commanders will please detail their men so as to ensure the best arrangement of numbers for the two dates and that all men wishing to participate in competitions have an opportunity of doing so.

Annual Dinner.—The Company's Annual Dinner and Dance is being held on March 10. All ranks are asked to do their utmost to make this function a success. A Circular giving full details has been despatched to Members of the Company.

(g) *Motor Machine Gun Section.*
Parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday, 27th instant, for Revolver and Machine Gun Instructions.

(h) *Amazac Company.*
The Company will fire Rifle Part II. at Stonecutters on Sunday, 26th instant.

Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 9 a.m. and Kowloon Police Pier at 9.10 a.m.

Range Officer—Lieut. C. de S. Robertson.

The Company will parade in full strength at Headquarters on Monday, Feb. 27, at 6.30 p.m. The attendance last Thursday was very poor and all ranks are asked to make a special effort to attend this parade as there is not much time for training before the G.O.C.'s inspection which will be a compulsory parade.

An N.C.O.'s Class will be held on Friday, March 3, and all N.C.O.'s are asked to make a point of attending.

(i) The Officers Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commanders:—

1. Machine Gun Troop.

2. Machine Gun Company.

3.—Struck Off the Strength.

Having left the Colony.—No. 1023, Pte. F. A. Fowler, No. 2 Platoon, as from Feb. 23, 1933.

3.—Leave.

No. 1819 C.Q.M.S. A. K. Dimond, Amazo Company, granted 6 months leave from Feb. 17, 1933, to Aug. 16, 1933.

No. 1896 Pte. F. E. Lawrence, A.S.C. Cadre, granted 10 months leave from Feb. 25, 1933, to Dec. 31, 1933.

4.—Strength.

The following have been taken on the Strength:—

No. 1995 Pte. R. H. Pickford, Lane, Crawford, joined No. 3 Platoon, on Feb. 17, 1933.

(Continued on next column.)

THE ROYAL NAVY

RECENT APPOINTMENTS

LONDON, Jan. 30.

Times, Jan. 30.—Plans Division. Captain Oliver Bevir, promoted in the New Year list, is replaced by Commander W. D. Stephens, late in command of the submarine Pandora, in China.

Times, Jan. 27.—The Admiralty announce the following:—Lt.-Cdr. L. G. Addington, D.S.C., to Tamar; Lt.-Cdr. H. L. Vaughan Williams to Tamar (Feb. 15); Lt.-Cdr. T. K. W. Atkinson to Eagle (Feb. 7); Lt.-Cdr. P. C. S. Tupper-Carey to Cumberland (Feb. 5); and Lt.-Cdr. J. W. Heath to Decoy.

Times, Jan. 26.—Lt.-Comdr. E. S. K. E. Greaves to Comus (Jan. 30).

THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF STRAITS SETTLEMENT

RETIREMENT OF SIR WILLIAM MURISON.

Sir William Murison, the Chief Justice, S.S., will go on leave by the Ranzura from Singapore on April 14, and upon the expiration of his leave on Sept. 2, he will definitely retire from the service.

Sir James William Murison, who was created a knight in 1919, has been Chief Justice of the Straits Settlements since 1923. He is the youngest son of Professor Murison, and was born in Aberdeen on March 23, 1872. He was educated at Trinity Hall, Cambridge where he graduated B.A., LL.B., with honours in classics and law. He was called to the bar at the Middle Temple. He has served as Chief Judge of H. B. M. Court Zanzibar, and Judge of Court of Appeal for Eastern Africa.

Sir William came to the Colony in 1919 to take up the appointment of Attorney-General. He acted as Colonial Secretary from June, 1920 to May, 1921, when he resumed his duties as Attorney-General. During that period he acted as the Governor's Deputy. He was appointed Chief Justice on July 10, 1925, in succession to Sir Walter Shaw. He was created a K.C. in 1924.

Sir William is a keen sportsman, and for some time has been President of the Singapore Lawn Tennis Association, and more recently of the Malayan body. — *Straits Times.*

MORE TROUBLE WITH MOROS

PHILIPPINE POLICE PATROL ATTACKED.

Jolo, Feb. 18.—Constabulary and Moro fighting which caused bloodshed in October of last year broke out here anew to-day when a patrol personally led by Captain Leon Angeles, provincial commander of Sulu, encountered a band of outlaws, presumably followers of Imam Saecam, the sole survivor of the band that attacked the patrol of Lieutenant Vicente G. Alagar on October 9.

The constabulary, which was reinforced later in the day, fought the Moros for nine hours, resulting in the death of an enlisted man, Private Camanlian, of the 106th Company, and the wounding of Lieutenant Ramon T. Altura, medical inspector for Sulu with station in Jolo. Lieutenant Altura, who was commissioned second lieutenant on October 2, 1931, sustained a wound in the ear. Casualties on the part of the Moros was unknown. — *Manila Bulletin.*

W. H. G. GONTER, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps, Hong Kong, Feb. 24, 1933.

NOTICE

Rugby Football Match.

The Rugby Football Match fixed for Saturday, Feb. 25, Volunteer v. The Army is postponed. Subsequent date will be announced later.

China Command Rifle Meeting.

The China Command Rifle Meeting will be held on Kowloon Rifle Range on March 23 and 24. Entries close on Feb. 23. Information with regard to entries from the Corps may be obtained from the Adjutant, or from Lieut. J. H. Bottomley (repeated).

Hong Kong Rifle League.

Matches will be fired against the R.A.F. and the Police R. & R. Club at Kowloon Tong Range at 10 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 26. The Corps will be represented by the following team:—

Sergeant F. P. Squire, Corp. A. W. Salter, Corp. J. C. Salter, and F. F. Orr, Spr. S. C. Salter, and Spr. F. S. W. Smith.

Reserves: Corp. J. V. Ribeiro, Corp. R. E. Stott, L/Sgt. J. P. Balores, C.S.M. R. E. Slattery, and Sergeant C. E. Terry.

Sergeant's Mess Committee.

A meeting of the above will be held on Wednesday, March 1, at 6 p.m.

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SAURTDAY, FEB. 25, 1933

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.

Hunan, B. & S., Feb. 25.
Antung, B. & S., Feb. 25.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Feb. 25.
Anhui, B. & S., March 6.
Kumsang, Jardine's, March 7.
Talamba, B.I. (Apar), March 10.
Hosang, Jardine's, March 15.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, March 15.
Santhia, B. I. (Apar), March 24.

Chefoo.

Yat Shing, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Chekiang, B. & S., Feb. 27.
Huichow, B. & S., March 4.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 13.

Daly.

Linan, B. & S., Feb. 25.
Chinhua, B. & S., March 2.
Aeneas, B. & S., March 5.
Sarpedon, B. & S., April 1.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.

Foodchow.

Yat Shing, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Feb. 26.
Huichow, B. & S., March 4.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 13.

Hankow.

Eumaeus, B. & S., May 7.

Japan Ports.

Yuensang, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Philactes, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Bangalore, P. & O., Feb. 27.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 28.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 28.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 3.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., March 3.
Pres. Madison, Am. Line, March 3.
Conte Verde, Doddwell's, March 4.
Nankin, P. & O., March 5.
Kulmerland, Jenson's, March 6.
Kumsang, March 7.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Talamba, B.I. (Apar), March 10.
Ranpura, P. & O., March 10.
Aganor, B. & S., March 11.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Saarlund, Jenson's, March 11.
Lahn, Melchers, March 13.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Deucalion, B. & S., March 17.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, March 18.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, March 18.
Bhutan, P. & O., March 19.
Africa, Manners', March 20.
Canton, Gilman's, March 21.
Snael, Melchers, March 21.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Chitral, P. & O., March 24.
Eurybates, B. & S., March 24.
Santhia, B. I. (Apar), March 24.
Diomed, B. & S., March 27.
Tyndarus, B. & S., March 27.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.
Kulmerland, Jenson's, March 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Canton, Gilman's, April 3.
Asia, Manners', April 4.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., April 6.
Ranchi, P. & O., April 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Mentor, B. & S., April 10.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., April 12.
Agamemnon, B. & S., April 14.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Soudan, P. & O., April 15.
Carthage, P. & O., April 20.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
D'Artagnan, Messageries, April 23.
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Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Eumaeus, B. & S., May 7.
Maron, B. & S., May 8.
C. of Shanghai, Bank Line, May 12.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Chitral, P. & O., March 24.

Santhia, B. I. (Apar), March 24.
Diomed, B. & S., March 27.
Chenonceaux, March 28.
F. de Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.
Kulmerland Jenson, March 31.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Sarpedon, B. & S., April 1.
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San Francisco.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Tai Ping, Doddwell's, March 17.
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Swatow.

Szechuen, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, Feb. 26.
Soochow, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Antung, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Feb. 26.
Chakaang, Jardine's, March 1.
Kwintang, B. & S., March 2.
Muniam, Manners', March 3.
Kaiyang, B. & S., March 5.
Kwasang, Jardine's, March 5.
Hiram, Thoresen's, March 5.
Anhui, B. & S., March 6.
Norviken, Jardine's, March 6.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 12.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 13.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 13.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, March 26.

Tientsin.

Yat Shing, Jardine's, Feb. 26.
Chekiang, B. & S., Feb. 27.
Huichow, B. & S., March 4.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 13.

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Aeneas, B. & S., March 5.
Sarpedon, B. & S., April 1.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.

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FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND
SOUTH AMERICA

Baltimore.

Lossiebank, Bank Line, March 6.
Glaucus, B. & S., March 11.

Boston and New York.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Lossiebank, Bank Line, March 6.
Silversteak, Furness, March 6.
Glaucus, B. & S., March 11.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Tai Ping, Doddwell's, March 17.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.
Adrastus, B. & S., March 29.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, April 12.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 23.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.

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Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Seattle.

Pres. Madison, Am. Line, March 4.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.
Tyndarus, B. & S., March 20.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Protesilaus, B. & S., April 20.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 20.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.

Vancouver, B.C.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 2.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Tyndarus, B. & S., March 30.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Lahn, Melchers, April 7.
Protesilaus, B. & S., April 20.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 20.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Victoria, B.C.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 2.
Pres. Madison, Am. Line, March 4.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Pres. Taft, Am. Line, April 1.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., April 7.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, April 15.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 25.
Ajax, B. & S., March 1.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., March 2.
Tai Ping, B. & S., March 17.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Changte, B. & S., April 16.

Bangkok.

Kwangchow, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, Feb. 26.
Bin Tang, Manners', March 1.
Muniam, Manners', March 3.
Kaiyang, B. & S., March 5.
Hiram, Thoresen's, March 5.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 12.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, March 13.
Hellas, Thoresen's, March 13.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, March 26.

Batavia.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, March 7.
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WESTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE,
AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.

Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 25.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Feb. 25.
Hilda, Doddwell's, March 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Moncalieri, Doddwell's, March 5.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Porthos, Messageries, March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.
Conte Verde, Doddwell's, March 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Comorin, P. & O., March 25.
Aramis, Messageries, March 25.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries, April 11.
Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries, April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Alexandria.

Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.

Algiers.

Agra, Gilman's, Feb. 25.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.
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Franken, Melchers, March 6.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.
Neckar, Melchers, March 23.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.
Lahn, Melchers, April 7.

Amsterdam.

Agra, Gilman's, Feb. 25.
Franken, Melchers, March 6.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.
Neckar, Melchers, March 23.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.
Lahn, Melchers, April 7.

Antwerp.

Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Barcelona.

Burgenland, Jenson's, March 4.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.
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Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.

Beyrouth.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Beyrouth, B. & S., March 14.
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Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Beyrouth, B. & S., March 14.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Beyrouth, B. & S., March 14.

Bombay.

Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 25.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Hilda, Doddwell's, March 1.
Moncalieri, Doddwell's, March 5.
Kidderpore, P. & O., March 8.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., March 11.
Conte Verde, Doddwell's, March 16.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Boston and New York.

Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Brindisi.

Franken, Melchers, March 6.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.
Neckar, Melchers, March 23.
Lahn, Melchers, April 7.

Calcutta.

Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Suisang, Jardine's, March 2.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., March 5.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apar), March 12.
Kutsang, Jardine's, March 13.
Talamba, B.I. (Apar), March 24.
Santhia, B. I. (Apar), April 15.

Canton.

Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Franken, Melchers, March 6.
Calchas, B. & S., March 22.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Philactes, B. & S., April 10.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Cebu.

Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 25.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Feb. 25.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Hilda, Doddwell's, March 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Moncalieri, Doddwell's, March 5.
Kidderpore, P. & O., March 8.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., March 11.
Conte Verde, Doddwell's, March 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Comorin, P. & O., March 25.
Aramis, Messageries, March 25.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Aeneas, B. &

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SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGCHOW"	On 28th Feb. Noon
FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI		
CHONGKING & TIENTSIN	"CHEKIANG"	On 27th Feb. 5 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"ANTUNG"	On 28th Feb. 6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 28th Feb. 10 a.m.
SWATOW	"KWANGTUNG"	On 2nd Mar. 10 a.m.
DALNY	"CHINHUA"	On 2nd Mar. 5 p.m.
HONGKONG, FAHPOH & HAIPHONG	"YINGCHOW"	On 3rd Mar. 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI		
CHONGKING & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 4th Mar. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"STEAMER"	On 5th Mar. 10 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KAYING"	On 5th Mar. Noon
SWATOW, AMOI & SHANGHAI	"ANHUI"	On 6th Mar. 4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 7th Mar. 10 a.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 8th Mar. 5 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KINGCHOW"	On 8th Mar. 5 p.m.
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Achilles, B. & S., April 23.
Aeneas, B. & S., March 1.
Afrika, Manners', March 2.
Agamemnon, B. & S., April 14.
Agapenor, B. & S., March 8.
Ajax, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Asia, Manners', April 4.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 24.
Bangalore, P. & O., Feb. 23.
Bhutan, P. & O., March 17.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.
Burryates, B. & S., March 24.
Carthage, P. & O., April 19.
Chitral, P. & O., March 23.
City of Khios, Bank Line, March 6.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 4.
Deucalion, B. & S., March 17.
Diomed, B. & S., March 27.
Elpenor, B. & S., April 9.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Feb. 28.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 17.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., March 30.
Eurybates, B. & S., March 24.
Franken, Melchers', March 4.
Friderup, Melchers', March 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 3.
Genl. Metzinger, Messageries', Feb. 28.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., March 3.
Kulmerland, Jebben, March 6.
Lahn, Melchers', March 8.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., April 15.
Lushan Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., April 11.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 28.
Mentor, B. & S., April 10.
Nankin, E.A.S.S. Co., March 4.
Nellore, E. & A. S. S. Co., April 5.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 27.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Porthos, Messageries', Feb. 23.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 10.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Feb. 27.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 6.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 3.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 17.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, April 7.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, March 20.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, Feb. 27.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 14.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, March 31.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, March 24.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 23.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, April 17.
Protesilaus, B. & S., April 12.
Ranchi, P. & O., April 5.
Ranpura, P. & O., March 9.
Rhenoxen, B. & S., March 10.
Saale, Melchers', March 23.
Saxland, Jebben, March 11.
Santia, B.I. (Apcar), March 22.
Silverteak, Furness, March 6.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), April 10.
Somali, P. & O., March 3.
Soochow, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Soudan, P. & O., April 17.
Sungshan Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 28.
Taiping, B. & S., March 10.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 21.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), April 6.
Talamba, B.I. (Apcar), March 8.
Tanda, E. & A. S. S. Co., Feb. 23.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 30.
Tsinan, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 23.

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Malaya, Manners', March 13.
Porthos, Messageries', March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Chile, Manners', March 22.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Comorin, P. & O., March 23.
Aramis, Messageries', March 23.
Automedon, B. & S., March 23.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 23.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Afrika, Manners', April 1.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Apr. 11.
Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 23.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Mauritius-Reunion.
C. St. Francis, Dodwell's, Mar. 1.
Naples.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Silverteak, Furness, March 6.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Oran.
Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.
Franken, Melchers', March 4.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 23.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.
Oslo.
Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 23.
Otaru.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Elpenor, B. & S., April 9.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Shutar, P. & O., April 23.
Penang.
Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.
C. Metzinger, Messageries', Feb. 23.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., Mar. 1.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.
Suisang, Jardine's, March 2.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Bongal Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., March 12.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), March 12.
Kutsang, Jardine's, March 13.
Porthos, Messageries', March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Taima, B. I. (Apcar), March 24.
Comorin, P. & O., March 25.
Aramis, Messageries', March 28.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Talamba, B.I. (Apcar), April 2.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Apr. 11.
Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.
Santia, B. I. (Apcar), April 15.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 23.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Pirana.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Plymouth.
Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Port Said.
Tong King, Manners', Feb. 23.
Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.
Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.
C. Metzinger, Messageries', Feb. 23.
Ajax, B. & S., March 1.
Hilda, Dodwell's, March 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, March 5.
Franken, Melchers', March 6.
Malaya, Manners', March 13.
Porthos, Messageries', March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 18.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Calchas, B. & S., March 22.
Chile, Manners', March 22.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Taima, B. I. (Apcar), March 24.
Comorin, P. & O., March 25.
Aramis, Messageries', March 28.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.
Adriatic, B. & S., March 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Talamba, B.I. (Apcar), April 2.
Teucer, B. & S., April 14.
Afrika, Manners', April 6.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.
Ranpura, P. & O., April 8.
Chenonceaux, Messageries', Apr. 11.
Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Santia, B. I. (Apcar), April 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., April 19.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 23.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 10.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Suez.
Hilda, Dodwell's, March 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, March 5.
Franken, Melchers', March 6.
Coblentz, Melchers', March 11.
Porthos, Messageries', March 14.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 18.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, March 18.
Neckar, Melchers', March 23.
Aramis, Messageries', March 28.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, April 1.
Lahn, Melchers', April 7.
Chenonceaux, April 11.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar's, April 15.
Athos II, Messageries', April 23.
Valencia.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., March 14.

Rangoon.

Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.

Bongal Maru, N.Y.K., March 8.

Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), March 12.

Rotterdam.

Tong King, Manners', Feb. 23.

Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.

Ajax, B. & S., March 1.

Burgenland, Jebben, March 4.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.

Somali, P. & O., March 4.

Franken, Melchers', March 6.

Coblentz, Melchers', March 11.

Malaya, Manners', March 13.

Hector, B. & S., March 15.

Friesland, Jebben, March 18.

Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.

Calchas, B. & S., March 22.

Chile, Manners', March 22.

Neckar, Melchers', March 23.

Aramis, Messageries', March 28.

Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., March 31.

City of Manila, Bank Line, April 1.

Bangalore, P. & O., April 1.

Kulmerland, Jebben, April 4.

Afrika, Manners', April 6.

Lahn, Melchers', April 7.

Aeneas, B. & S., April 11.

Philoctetes, B. & S., April 19.

Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Saigon.

G. Metzinger, Messageries', Feb. 28.

Porthos, Messageries', March 14.

Aramis, Messageries', March 28.

Chenonceaux, Messageries', Apr. 11.

Athos II, Messageries', April 25.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.

Tong King, Manners', Feb. 23.

Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.

Malaya, Manners', March 13.

Chile, Manners', March 22.

Shan Tung, Gilman's, March 29.

Afrika, Manners', April 6.

Singapore.

Tong King, Manners', Feb. 23.

Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.

Agra Gilman's, Feb. 23.

G. Metzinger, Messageries', Feb. 28.

Antang, B. & S., Feb. 23.

Ajax, B. & S., March 1.

Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., Mar. 1.

Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., March 1.

Hilda, Dodwell's, March 1.

